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CITY MARKET.

The New Governor
A Splendid Reception Marks Arrival of Sir Henri Joly.
Greeted by a Distinguished Committee of Dignitaries and Citizens.
Escorted to Driard Where Short Speeches of Welcome Are Made.

The arrival in Victoria yesterday evening of Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, the new lieutenant-governor, was made memorable by such a hearty public demonstration of welcome on the part of the citizens as must have convinced the distinguished official that his tenure of office will be made a pleasant one as far as his relations with the people are concerned.

The Islander, by which Sir Henri and his suite arrived, left the Terminal City at 1:40 p.m. At the latter point the Governor was met by the Mayor and Aldermen, Lieut.-Col. Worsnop and a guard of honor from the Duke of Cornwall's Own Rifles and the regimental band.

The Islander was due in Victoria at 6:30, but it was not until shortly after seven o'clock that she put in an appearance. Previous to that hour a great throng had assembled at the outer wharf; and despite the rather unpleasant wind which blew from the west, making everyone turn up their coat collars, the wharf presented a handsome appearance, the brilliant uniforms of the officers of the army and navy, who were numbered among the official reception committee, contrasting pleasingly with the black frock-coated gentlemen representing the government, the bench and the clergy.

The official reception committee consisted of Hon. James Dunsmuir, and members of the executive, Messrs. Pooley, Hall, McPhillips and Helmecken, M.P.'s, Right Rev. Bishop Perrin, Bishop Orth, Bishop Cridge, Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, Rev. Canon Beaulieu, Rev. Percival Jennis, Rev. Dr. Campbell, Rev. Leslie Clay, Rev. Dr. Wilson, Rev. Elliot S. Kice, Rev. W. H. Burnell, Rev. J. G. Hastings, Rev. J. F. Vichet, Hon. Justices Drake, Walkem, Irving and Martin, Senator Macdonald, Sir H. P. P. Crease, President W. A. Ward, of the Board of Trade, His Worship the Mayor and Aldermen, Lieut.-Colonels Grant, Benson and Gregory, Indian Superintendent A. W. Vowell, A. R. Milne, C.M.G., Collector of Customs, Thos. Earle, M.P., C. H. Lugin, editor of the Colonist, Robt. Dunn, editor of the Times, Hon. Edgar Dewdney, N. Shakespeare, U. S. Consul Abraham Smith, Thos. H. Smith, Belgian Consul, H. M. Graham, French Consul, and W. A. Ward, Swedish Consul.

A squad of men from "A" company, Royal Canadian Regiment, acted as guard of honor, in charge of Col. McKay and Lieut. Ackroyd. Major Jones acted as aide-de-camp to Col. Benson and Lieut. Bodley to Col. Grant. On the Islander tying up at the wharf the reception committee at once boarded the vessel and extended informal greetings to Sir Henri Joly, who smilingly shook hands with each of the members of the committee, to whom he was introduced by Premier Dunsmuir.

Sir Henri, accompanied by the Premier, then descended the gang plank, followed by the members of the reception committee; and as they did so the guard of honor presented arms, the Fifth Regiment band played the National Anthem, and the crowd waved meanwhile standing with bared heads.

The trip across the continent had evidently agreed with the Governor. He was smilingly cheerful and apparently in perfect health. Of rather more than average height, slightly built, with silvery gray hair, mustache and whiskers, and a charming ease and grace of manner, Sir Henri looked a fit occupant of the important post to which he has been assigned.

Governor Joly, accompanied by Premier Dunsmuir, at once entered a carriage. The guard of honor and the band took up a position behind, a long row of hacks accommodated the other members of the reception committee, and the procession started for the city. All along the route the streets were thronged with people, eager to catch a glimpse of the new Governor, and the latter was quickly called upon to raise his hat in response to the salutations of the people.

Arriving at the Hotel Driard, over the entrance of which was arranged a large British flag and a mass of bunting, Sir Henri and the members of the committee required to the large parlors, where an informal reception was held.

After handshaking and a word of greeting from the numerous distinguished visitors, the health of Sir Henri was proposed in a neat speech by Hon. James Dunsmuir. The Premier was followed by His Worship Mayor Hayward, who said:

"On behalf of the citizens of Victoria, I desire to extend to you a hearty greeting on the occasion of your arrival in Victoria to assume the post of Lieutenant-Governor of the province of British Columbia. You arrive at a most opportune time, and I congratulate you on being called to such a glorious province as British Columbia—one of the best and most resourceful in the Dominion. I feel certain you will bring to our assistance the same experience and statesmanship which distinguished you elsewhere, and that you will aid us in the development of our magnificent resources, and that together we shall go on prospering and to prosper." (Applause.)



LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR JOLY.

Buller Glad To Have Them A Despatch From Seymour

Like Being With Old Friends to Have Strathcona's Join Him.

A Series of Small Actions At Various Points With Boers.

London, June 30.—(4:20 a.m.)—Active Boer guerrilla operations are reported from half a dozen points in Orange River Colony.

Boer official reports from Machadodorp assert that part of a British convoy was captured on June 23, near Winburg. A despatch from Lorenzo Marques says:

"A consignment to a foreign firm marked 'Dutch cheese' proved on landing to contain boots for the Boers. It passed the customs, nevertheless, with unusual despatch, and the British consul is making representations to the Portuguese government."

"The prisoners' camp at Nootgedacht is in a terribly unsanitary state. President Kruger is supposed to be at Water-vander-..."

London, June 29.—The war office has received the following from Lord Roberts: "Pretoria, June 29.—Paget reports from Lindley that he was engaged on the 26th with a body of the enemy, who were reinforced during the day. On June 13 two attacks on the advance guard were made by Boers, who were repulsed with great loss to them, and none on our side. On June 14 the Boers attacked the train at Lang Yang in large numbers and with great determination. We repulsed them with a loss of about 100 killed. Our loss was five Boers killed."

"We pushed forward to Anting and engaged the enemy on June 13 and 14, inflicting a loss of 175. There were no casualties on our side."

"Extensive destruction of the railway in our front having made further advance by rail impossible, I decided on June 16 to return to Yang Tsung, where it was proposed to organize an advance by the river to Pekin. After my departure from Lang Yang, two trains left to follow on were attacked on June 18 by Boers and Imperial troops from Pekin, who lost from 400 to 500 killed. Our casualties were 6 killed and 48 wounded. These trains joined me at Yang Tsung the same evening."

"The railway from Yang Tsung was demolished, and trains could not move. The force being short of provisions and hampered with wounded, compelled us to withdraw on Tien Tsin, with which we had not been in communication for six days, and our supplies had been cut off."

June 19 the wounded, with necessities, started by boat, the forces marching alongside the river. Opposition was experienced during the whole course of the river, from nearly every village the Boers, when defeated in one place, retiring to the next one and still fully retarding our advance by occupying well-selected positions, from which they had to be forced, often at the point of the bayonet and in face of a galling fire, difficult to locate."

"On June 23 we made a night march, arriving at daybreak opposite the Imperial army where Tien Tsin, where, after friendly advances, a heavy trencherous fire was opened while our men were exposed on the opposite river banks. The enemy were kept in check by rifle fire in front, while their position was turned by a party of marines and seamen under Major Johnson, who rushed and occupied one of the safest positions, taking the guns."

"The Germans, coming down, silenced two guns and crossed the river and captured them. The army was next occupied by the combined forces. The attempt to retake the position on the following day was unsuccessful. Several guns were mounted on our defenses, and shelled the Chinese works lower down."

"Having found ammunition and rice, we could have held out for some days, but being hampered with large numbers of wounded, we were forced to retreat."

The department of customs has adopted neat uniforms for the officials who examine travellers' baggage.

He Tells Graphically of the Adventures of His Column.

Continual Battle Against Hordes of Boxers and Chinese Troops.

London, June 30.—(3 a.m.)—The adventures of the "hard fighting" allies, under Admiral Seymour, the reaching of Anting, 12 miles from Pekin; the decision to retreat; the capture of railways and immense stores of modern arms and ammunition, affording material for a defence until relieved—all this is told in a despatch from Admiral Seymour, received by the Admiralty at midnight, which runs as follows:

"Tien Tsin, June 27, via Chee Foo, June 29.—(5 p.m.)—Have returned to Tien Tsin with the forces, having been unable to reach Pekin by railway. On June 13 two attacks on the advance guard were made by Boers, who were repulsed with great loss to them, and none on our side. On June 14 the Boers attacked the train at Lang Yang in large numbers and with great determination. We repulsed them with a loss of about 100 killed. Our loss was five Boers killed."

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Sir Henri Joly replied briefly. He said: "Mr. Mayor and Gentlemen—I can assure you I am most grateful for the kind reception I have met with in British Columbia. It is a great encouragement to me. I thank you. I do not know in (Continued on Second Page.)"

"Even a clock is lots of company when one is left alone."
"Oh, yes; you are not without one familiar face."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

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Australia Offers Warships

Victoria and Queensland Will Send Vessel to Help in China.

Another U. S. Admiral Will Replace Kempff Who Has Lost Favor.

Melbourne, June 29.—In response to a request from the Admiralty that three vessels of the Auxiliary squadron should proceed to Chinese waters, the premier of Victoria, Mr. McLean, has cabled an offer of 200 marines and two guns.

Sydney, June 29.—The government of Queensland has offered the British admiralty a gunboat for service in Chinese waters.

Washington, June 29.—The navy department this morning received the following cablegram from Admiral Kempff: "Chee Foo, June 29.—Pekin relief expedition now in Tien Tsin, with 200 sick and wounded. Ministers and Pekin party are not with them. No news from them (Sien)."

The department was also advised this morning that Admiral Remey, on the Brooklyn, has arrived at Hongkong, en route to Taku.

New York, June 29.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says that Admiral Remey is expected to relieve Admiral Kempff next Sunday at Tien Tsin. It was said or Chee Foo. Official dissatisfaction with Admiral Kempff has been displayed by all the authorities here. The failure to participate with the other admirals in taking the Taku forts will require a clear explanation from Kempff as soon as the crisis permits a court of enquiry.

London, June 29.—In the house of commons to-day the parliamentary secretary of the foreign office, Mr. Wm. St. John Broderick said that the most recent reports which had reached the government pointed to the legations being still at Peking.

PROHIBITION BILL.

Passes Committee in Manitoba House and Third Reading For Tuesday.

Winnipeg, June 29.—The Manitoba legislature adjourned until Tuesday evening. At to-day's session the prohibition bill passed through committee and will be given a third reading on Tuesday.

ALONE IN LONDON.

Societies that Care for Everybody Save Eskimos and Indians.

It is a popular fallacy that for the friendless stranger London is an eerie, lonely place. Richard Jeffries gave permanent expression to this feeling when he described his "fragile and maddening solitude amid the seething crowds of the city."

The trouble with the friendless stranger is that he never gets the right way to discover friends. A cursory dip into the London Directory should serve to convince him that there are philanthropists by the score willing and anxious to improve his mind, and perhaps even his purse.

About sixty benevolent societies are at work in London collecting subscriptions and doling out help. Their charity appears to cover any native from any habitable part of the globe.

It might, perhaps, be difficult for a prosperous red Indian to locate his friends in the London Directory. There is no society for prosperous red Indians. They appear to have been unaccountably overlooked. In Finsbury pavement there is a Strangers' Friend Society, and our red Indians might think the society promising one. The objects of this society, however, are benevolent, and he would have to dock himself of his prosperity before he could come within the scope of its articles of association. A bankrupt Eskimo might apply to the Society of Friends of Foreigners in Distress, or if he came from any part of the ice regions over which the British flag waved, even those hospitable doors might be closed, since an Eskimo subject of the Queen could not, strictly speaking, be classed as a foreigner.

He would have to be a very smart Eskimo who could successfully pass himself off as a "Persecuted Jew" or as a "Poor Pious Clergyman," or as a "Distressed Widow." Even a "Boxer" would be better off, since he could apply to the Strangers' Friend Society, and for Hotentots, Africans, and benighted South Sea Islanders.

But stay, should the red Indian and the Eskimo happen to consume too much firewater, they would immediately become qualified for at least one society. In Alexandra road there is a Society for the Study of Inebriety. The friendless pair might perchance be welcomed there.

To be free from sick headache, biliousness, constipation, etc., use Carter's Little Liver Pills. Strictly vegetable. They gently stimulate the liver, and free the stomach from bile.

SOLDIER PUGILISTS.

How They Settle Their Little Differences With Their Fists.

"Chebucto," writing from Bloomfontein, to the Halifax Herald, says: "This morning I went out to a common horse pond about half a mile from our bivouac and enjoyed the luxury of a cold water bath and complete change of linen. When I felt comfortable, I began to clear up arrears of correspondence and was subjected to an interruption in the shape of two bearded warriors—Canadians—men, mark you, not boys. He with the blue kerchief about his neck saluted me:

"Say, mate, me and him (with a jerk of the thumb) have a difference to settle, will you come here and see if you can't."

"I strongly demurred for several reasons. In the first place I was busy; secondly, I did not like to see comrades fighting; thirdly, I did not wish to become party to a transaction which on active service I found out is punishable with a severe sentence. 'Blue Kerchief' assured me there was no way out of it, and I acquiesced, for certainly it was manly, British mode, and I promised to keep 'mum' on the matter, but nevertheless I watched the two gallant sons of Mary at some distance, when they pitched into each other for about twelve minutes.

"Private affairs of this kind are invariably settled after this manner. Two men get into a war of words, and when it gets too hot, their comrades advise them to 'go out and settle it.' I will

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quote one case which gave all round satisfaction. A brute of a fellow in "D" Company used a foul epithet to young Ritchie (son of the late Supreme Court judge, of Ottawa), thinking Ritchie was juvenile enough to swallow the affront, but the lad forced the man out and gave him the best trouncing he ever had. Well done, Ritchie?"

CUT HER THROAT.

Wife of Manitoba Inspector of Public Works Commits Suicide.

Winnipeg, June 29.—Mrs. G. A. Simpson, wife of the inspector of public works, in Manitoba, killed herself to-day by severing her windpipe with a razor. Ill health was the cause.

The New Lieut. Governor

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what particular manner I shall be able to aid you, but I shall endeavor to the best of my ability to do my duty. (Applause.) I grew quite enamored of your fair province during the short stay I made here on a flying visit a year ago—so much so, in fact, that it was with more than ordinary pleasure that I accepted the position which calls me to live in Victoria—my future home." (Renewed applause.)

Quite a number of the members of the Board of Trade and other citizens called on Sir Henri and extended greetings of welcome.

NOTES OF SPORT.

Victoria and Vancouver Play on Monday—Cricketers For Terminal City.

Although New Westminster has a good lead for the senior lacrosse championship, neither Victoria nor Vancouver have any idea of giving up the struggle until the last game of the season has been played. On Monday the two teams meet at Vancouver. In spite of the wet weather, which interfered somewhat with practice both are in excellent form, and should put up a fast and good game. The teams will line up as follows:

Vancouver	Victoria
Matheson.....Goal.....Norman	
Reynolds.....Point.....Belfry	
Allen.....Cover Point.....Burns	
Hill.....Defence.....Theodore	
Wickens.....2nd Defence.....Dewar	
Chase.....Centre.....Finlandson	
Wright.....3rd Home.....Blain	
Cowan.....2nd Home.....Melliss	
Churchill.....Outside Home.....Lorimer	
Herman.....Inside Home.....Ditchburn	
Quinn.....Field Captain.....Ditchburn	

Arrangements are being made by a committee of citizens to send the New Westminster team East at the close of the season in this province. Already a considerable sum has been subscribed.

FOOTBALL.

To Play Vancouver. All members of the Victoria team are requested to be on hand at Beacon hill to-day to practice for their game with Vancouver on Monday. The team will be as follows: Kinsman, Schwengers, Goward, Jones, McKewen, Hunter, Shandler, Winsby, Hunter, A. Peden and Berkeley. The match on the second is scheduled to take place at 10 a.m. sharp, before the big parade.

CRICKET.

To Play Vancouver. The following team of the Victoria Cricket club leaves on Sunday night at 10 p.m. for the 88. Alpha at Vancouver, where they play the Terminal City club at 10:30 a.m. on Friday morning.

A. P. Luxton, W. A. Ward, A. T. Goward, B. G. Goward, R. H. Pooley, C. R. Pooley, J. H. Gillespie, A. Gillespie, E. W. C. Hill, F. B. Ward, L. York.

YACHTING.

A Visitor. The auxiliary yacht Chinoak, owned by Rev. Mr. Nixon, of Denman Island, has been lying in James Bay for the past few days with the blue ensign flying from her jack staff, her owner being one of the few men in Canada belonging to the Royal Yacht club.

Jubilee Improved. The yacht Jubilee has been thoroughly overhauled, a new keel has been put on her, and much other work has been done to increase her speed; and the Lavita, the crack of the Puget Sound fleet, will have to look to her honors now, for the Jubilee goes over determined to show the way to that vessel. The other yachts going over to the regatta are all ready to depart.

THE RIFLE.

Range Improvement. The militia department has instructed Mr. P. C. MacGregor to place a valuation on the land to be acquired from the Douglas estate to improve the Clover Point range.

A PLOT SPOILED.

Boer Attempt to Explode Magazine at Pretoria Foiled by a Plucky Artilleryman.

London, June 29.—A Capetown despatch reports an attempt by the Boers to blow up the artillery barracks and magazine at Pretoria. It is added that an artilleryman, who blocked the attempt by withdrawing a lighted fuse, was killed outright by a Boer, whom the soldiers afterwards attempted to lynch.

The British authorities are deporting a number of Hollanders to Holland, to be dealt with by their own government, for not observing the state of neutrality declared by the Netherlands.

President Steyn is reported to be at Bethlehem consulting with General Dewet.

Sir Alfred Milner, the British high commissioner, has notified the government to pay the interest of the Free State six per cent. loan, due July 1, on condition that there is no further liability, either for capital or interest.

Not one in twenty are free from the little ailment caused by indigestion. Use Carter's Little Liver Pills. The result will be a pleasant surprise. They give positive relief.

A Despatch From Seymour

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of wounded, I sent to Tien Tsin for a relieving force, which arrived on the morning of June 25. The army was evacuated and the force arrived at Tien Tsin on June 26. We burned the army.

Casualties to date: British—Killed, 27; wounded, 75. Americans—Killed, 4; wounded, 25. French—Killed, 12; wounded, 10. Germans—Killed, 12; wounded, 62. Italians—Killed, 5; wounded, 4. Japanese—Killed, 2; wounded, 3. Austrians—Killed, 1; wounded, 1. Russians—Killed, 10; wounded, 27.

London, June 30.—(3 a.m.)—There is no absolutely authentic word as to the whereabouts of the members of the legations, although abundant reports from Chinese sources say that they were safe a few days ago.

The Daily Mail Shanghai correspondent, telegraphing yesterday, says: "An imperial decree has been sent to all the viceroys advising them that the foreign ministers were safe in Peking on June 25, and advising that the government would protect them. This is authentic and reliable. I received it through a high Chinese official, having means of communication from the capital of Shanghai, by courier to Peking. I, therefore, by telegraph."

"There is no doubt that the Chinese government fully recognizes what the safety of the ministers implies at the present time, and for this reason there is less uneasiness about them." The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Express, dated yesterday, says: "Chinese officials declare that they have imperial authority for stating that the foreign ministers left Peking for Tien Tsin via Pao Tieng Pa June 26. They had passports and were escorted by a strong bodyguard of Chinese troops. It is impossible to verify this statement, and the consuls here are not disposed to place much faith in it."

A despatch from Shanghai, dated June 29, says:

It is reported here that the U. S. battleship Oregon is ashore on the island of Hoo Kie, in the Miao Tiao group, fifty miles north of Chee Foo, and that a steamer of the Indo-China Steam Navigation Company has gone to her assistance."

Washington, June 29.—The state department has been made acquainted with the terms of the agreement between the consuls and the viceroys looking to the protection of foreign interests in the southern provinces of China. The first step to this end was indicated in Secretary Hay's cablegram of last Wednesday to the United States consuls in China, authorizing them to take direct action, instead of waiting on possible communications with Minister Conger. Thus authorized, Consul-General Goodnow at Shanghai, and probably several others in the south, began negotiations with the viceroys and taotais in their respective districts.

The outcome was the nine-article agreement. The text is withheld from publication, but it is understood that its general purpose is to make neutral the Chinese treaty ports at Nankin and Hankow. The neutralization would involve the withdrawal of foreign men-of-war from the treaty ports, and also of any foreign troops or sailors, leaving to the Chinese authorities and the residents of Shanghai and the other ports the preservation of order. At Shanghai the foreign settlement have organized a very effective home guard, so that this port would be much safer than any other of the treaty ports, and also of any foreign troops or sailors, leaving to the Chinese authorities and the residents of Shanghai and the other ports the preservation of order. At Shanghai the foreign settlement have organized a very effective home guard, so that this port would be much safer than any other of the treaty ports, and also of any foreign troops or sailors, leaving to the Chinese authorities and the residents of Shanghai and the other ports the preservation of order.

The cabinet failed to ratify the agreement at to-day's meeting. In fact the document, in its inception and various stages of development, was regarded as properly open to such doubt as to warrant the belief that the foreign consuls at a body certainly never entered into the agreement. In addition to the subjects above mentioned as forming part of the agreement, it appears that the consuls bound themselves to acquit the Chinese government of any responsibility for rioting, murder and pillage in the treaty ports, if any foreign warship should enter such port in violation of the agreement. No safeguard was even proposed to secure the exemption of warships whose commanders might be unaware of the state of affairs in the treaty ports and the prohibition against their entry. There was an apparent conflict between some of the provisions, and in fact the whole agreement bore the appearance of a rough memorandum which the cabinet concluded could never have received the assent of all the foreign consuls, even supposing some of them might have become frightened into acquiescing.

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It is simply assumed that, if he had done so, he would have acquainted the department, being in cable communication. The latter was dropped.

James Moore "A.A." whiskey is called for everywhere. It is the drink of the people.

INDIAN RISING.

Whites in Minnesota Fear One and Fleo to Canada For Safety.

Winnipeg, June 29.—A Rat Portage special to-night says the steamer Keonora has arrived there with 100 women and children, refugees from Rainy River, Minn., who are leaving the district owing to expected Indian troubles. The residents of Koochocking, Minn., are deserting everything and moving across the river to Fort Francis, Ont., for protection. The Indians of the district, numbering about 1,000, have divided into two hostile bands. The captain of the Keonora says all the remaining women and children of the district are to be down in the next steamer, and arms are urgently besought by the settlers. The excitement is intense.

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. Shotton, wife of Hon. J. R. Shotton, provincial secretary in the Ontario government, is on a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. G. McDonald, of Terrace avenue. John Kirkup, government agent at Ross-ham, is at the Oriental.

Mrs. W. H. Lomas and Miss Lomas, of Puenans, registered at the Oriental yesterday. G. C. Hinton, C. R. King, G. M. Leishman, B. C. Mess and W. E. Oliver were among the Victorians returning from Vancouver last evening.

G. A. Keefe, Dominion government engineer, returned from the Mainland last evening. Miss Lillian R. Smith, only daughter of United States Consul and Mrs. Smith, arrived from Illinois on the Islander last evening, and will spend the summer with her parents in Victoria.

For more than fifty years the famous Jesse Moore whiskey has been the standard brand of the world.

BOIN.

WATSON—On the 29th inst., to the wife of John Adam Watson, of Oak Bay, twin sons.

DIED.

ARNALL—At the family residence, No. 9 Humboldt street, on the 27th inst., Cyril James, infant son of Thomas James and Lillie Arnall; aged 10 months.

The funeral will take place TO-DAY, (Saturday) at 2:15 p.m. from the residence as above, and at Christ Church cathedral at 2:30.

Friends will please accept this intimation.

BYRNES—At St. Joseph's hospital 1 on the 29th inst., Maria, relict of the late Geo. Byrnes, aged 59 years, a native of Dublin, Ireland.

The funeral will take place 3 Sunday, July 1, at 2:30 p.m., from the hospital, and a few minutes later from Christ Church cathedral.

Friends will please accept this intimation. (San Jose papers copy.)

STALLARD—On the 29th inst., after a short illness, Charles E. Stallard, aged 38 years, a native of London, England.

The funeral will take place on Sunday at 2:30 p.m. from the Masonic Temple.

Friends will please accept this intimation.

NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as farmers and sheep raisers, on Sidney Island, B. C., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the partnership by the undersigned, and all debts and liabilities assumed by the partnership, are hereby acknowledged and assumed by the undersigned.

Dated this 28th day of June, 1900.

COLIN MERKLEY, HARRY S. IVES.

Funeral Notice.

The members of Vancouver-Quadra Lodge No. 2, A. F. & A. M., are requested to meet at the Masonic Temple, Douglas St., on Sunday, July 1, at 2:30 p.m., to attend the funeral of our late brother Charles E. Stallard, P. M.

Members of Victoria-Columbia, and United Service Lodges and sojourning brethren cordially invited to attend.

A. MAXWELL MUIR, Secretary.

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PATRIOTIC CELEBRATION AT SEATTLE JULY 3 and 4, 1900.

GRAND PARADE. Something new, something worth seeing. Every thing you have ever had and some additions.

OPEN AIR SPORTS. The annual Pacific coast and track championships games will be held in Seattle during this celebration. Yachting by Pacific Coast clubs, BALLOON ASCENSION. Balloons will go up, acrobats will make the parachute jumps.

BICYCLE RACES. There are to be all sorts. Two of the funny ones will be a hill-climbing contest, free to all, and a slow race, free to all.

STREET GAMES. All sorts of tricks, from the three-legged race to the climbing of greased poles, relay race, between three relay crews of messenger boys will be a novelty.

INDIAN PARADE. A part of the parade will be given over to a Wild West feature, containing Indians, bucking broncos, and cowboys.

TWO DAY SHOW. All these things will be distributed over July 3 and 4. Be present both days if possible. Either day will bring about 1,000, there will be the customary oration and reading of the Declaration of Independence.

BANDS OF MUSIC. Four bands will give concerts afternoons and evenings of both days. Prizes offered for best bands in parade.

BICYCLE PARADE. On the night of July 3 there will be a monster illuminated bicycle parade. Bring your bike and get in line. A novel feature will be a band of wheelmen, each player riding on the rear seat of a tandem.

FIREWORKS. A \$5,000 exhibition, which has never been equalled in this part of the country, are to be touched off on the night of the Fourth.

REDUCED RATES. As usual, all transportation companies have announced reduced and special rates for this event. For further particulars, see newspapers and programmes.

Funeral Notice.

A.O.F.

Members of Court Northern Light, A. O. F., are requested to meet at K. of P. hall on Friday, the 29th inst., at 1:45 p.m., to attend the funeral of the wife of Bro. C. R. Lawson. Members of Court Vancouver are invited.

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NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Nest Egg and Firefly Gold Mining Company, Limited, will be held at 4 p.m. on Thursday, the 5th day of July, in committee room of the City hall, Victoria, B. C.

G. A. KIRK, President.

CONSIGNEE NOTICE.

Br. Ship IMBERHORNE

CAPT. LEVIER. FROM LIVERPOOL.

The vessel commenced discharging cargo at the Outer Wharf, Monday, June 25th, 1900. Consignees are requested to present bills of lading at the office of the undersigned, pay freight, and receive orders for their goods.

All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 o'clock each day, and while on the wharf will be at the risk of the consignees thereof, and may be stored at their expense.

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Vancouver, B. C.

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The C. P. N. Company will issue Round Trip Tickets to Vancouver, good to go on Sunday and Tuesday, July 2nd and 3rd, at 7 a.m. and Sunday and Monday, July 2nd and 3rd, at 12 p.m.

Returning from Vancouver up to and including Wednesday, July 4th, at 1:30 p.m.

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The Ships And Shipping

Steamer Tees Returns From
Naas—Queen City From
West Coast.

U.S. Warship at Esquimalt—
Louise Returns—Warimoo
Sails.

Steamer Tees returned from Naas and way ports last night. She had fourteen passengers and a small, but valuable, complement of freight. This consisted for the most part of furs, skins and salmon. There was a carload of salt salmon from Wallace Bros., on the Skeena, consigned to New York, 346 cases of this year's spring salmon from R. Cunningham's cannery, consigned to R. P. Rithet, and many bales of furs, consigned to Lenz & Leiser, Boscawen, and others, and from Goose Island came a case of seventy or more sealskins—the catch of the Indians.

News was brought by the Tees that the salmon were running good on the Skeena. On Monday last, when the steamer was there, the fishermen were taking an average of 150 to 200 fish a day. The Tees, let too, the prospect seemed bright. The salmon were running well and all the canneries were starting to pack. At Bella Coola and China Hat, the two new canneries established this season were busy, and at Alert Bay, S. A. Spencer had commenced to put up his salmon.

At Simpson, the river steamer Strathcona was spoken, ready to ascend the Skeena on the 27th. At Skidegate, the Indians had been busy catching dogfish, and 64 drums of oil were brought from Tennent's cannery.

The ballast box was brought back to Victoria by the Tees, and the Skeena, which had been used for the Hazelton box, it arrived too late.

The passengers who arrived by the steamer were J. Clayton, part owner of the new cannery at Bella Coola; W. Woolcott and A. H. Bird, of Alert Bay; G. A. Friend, of Nanaimo; J. Fenwick, Mrs. Sturtevant, A. McKenzie, B. C. Meiss, A. Scroggins, G. Green, G. Matheson and 70 Indians.

WARRIMOO SAILS.

She Left For the Antipodes Last Night—
Took a Consignment of Salmon
From Here.

R. M. S. Warimoo sailed last night for Honolulu, Brisbane and Sydney, after loading 200 cases of British Columbia salmon at the outer wharf to complete her cargo of 1,800 tons of general freight. She had but fifteen tons of freight for Honolulu, and not being delayed long there, her officers expect her to make a quick run. Among the passengers were Mr. and Mrs. Tait, who arrived two days ago from San Francisco, and soon after landing lost their little son, who ruptured a blood-vessel on the way up from the Golden Gate, and died here yesterday.

FROM THE WEST COAST.

The Queen City Returns From Cape
Scott and Way Ports—Sealers
After Indians.

Steamer Queen City arrived from the West Coast yesterday afternoon with a number of mining men and West Coast residents as passengers. She brought news of the presence of the sealing fleet at the different Coast points, and many were having quite a time with the Indians, who were sticking out for \$6 per skin to the canoe. The schooners expected to be able to get away for the sea about the 10th. W. M. Brewer, of Clayquot, and Diver McDonald, who went up to assist in wrecking the sunken Hera, came down. The work is still going on. Coincident with the efforts to save the schooner comes news of the capture at Savannah, Ga., of the late master of the Hera, who was wanted by the Portland police for the murder of Mate Kirk, of One ship Clarendon. S. Bennett, at Portland, soon after he was saved from the burning Hera.

MAY GO TROOPING.

Conjectured in Vancouver that the Tartar May Take Tommy Atkins to China.

A Vancouver special to the Colonist says: "It is thought that the steamship

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Tartar may be used for transporting troops for China, from the fact that when she arrived at Vancouver she was instructed to load freight for Japan and China, but yesterday received instructions not to load the Japan freight, but to complete loading the China freight as quickly as possible and get away at the earliest possible date for China.

THE LOUISE AND THE ROCK

Came Together and the Steamer Was
Obliged to Return to Port For
Repairs—Sails Again on
Monday.

Capt. Hughes, of the steamer Princess Louise a few days ago was telling one of his friends that he had been master of vessels for 22 years and had been on vessels for 37 years and never did any of the craft on which he was strike a rock, go ashore or suffer damage in any way, neither was there any accidents aboard any of the craft. The providence which had watched over him all those years led him and thought it would fool him just for once, for when the steamer Princess Louise was near Nanaimo, to which port she was going for coal before going to Vancouver to load her cargo of cattle for Skagway, she struck a rock, which, as a fact, the Captain's chart did not show, and the vessel was uncharted, and tore off part of her forefoot. The rock was between Peter's Island and White Rock, and not more than a mile from where the Miami struck and was wrecked. She did not go ashore, as was reported, but she came back, arriving yesterday morning. She was hauled out on the Esquimalt ways yesterday and is expected to resume her voyage on Monday.

THE CAPTAIN DEAD.

The Glenlogi Puts Into a South American
Port To Bury Her Dead Mas-
ter—She Is Bound Here With
General Cargo.

British ship Glenlogi, which sailed from Liverpool 10 days ago with a cargo of general merchandise for Victoria and Vancouver merchants, consigned to R. P. Rithet & Co., put into Topeka, on the South American coast, with Capt. Stevenson dead, on June 26. He died at sea a short time before his men took the vessel into the nearest port to give him a burial. Capt. Stevenson, the dead master of the Glenlogi, was well known here, and many are his friends in this city. He was here on the Glenlogi three or four years ago, and spent many months lying in the upper end of Esquimalt harbor, waiting for his cargo. The mate of the ship Inverhorne, now at the outer wharf, was an apprentice under the dead mariner on that voyage.

MANY GUNS BOOMED

When the U. S. S. Philadelphia Arrived
at Esquimalt Yesterday Morning—
Fired Forty-Seven Guns.

The United States protected cruiser Philadelphia, Capt. W. M. Meade, a vessel of about 2,700 tons, until recently the flagship of Rear-Admiral Kautz, who some time ago transferred his flag to the Iowa, arrived yesterday morning from Port Angeles, where for some time she has been putting in firing practice with her larger guns. When she was about to enter Esquimalt harbor she met the flagship Warspite, and Capt. Meade, seeing the Admiral's flag, ordered a rear-admiral's salute to be fired. The 13 guns belched forth their noisy demonstration, and the Warspite's guns returned the compliment. Then the visiting sea-fighter of Uncle Sam steamed into the harbor, and as she came to her anchorage her guns belched out another and more noisy salvo. She was firing a royal salute of 21 guns. Soon after wards still another salute was fired, making a total of 47 guns. The last salute was one of 13 guns in honor of the Admiral, for it developed that he was not to board the flagship and went out to pay his compliments to Capt. Meade. Powder was not spared, nor good-fellowship, for nowhere is the hands-across-the-sea spirit more marked than among the sailors of John and Sam.

The Philadelphia will not remain long at Esquimalt, for she is to sail to-day for Alaska, where she is due to assist in the celebration of the Fourth of July. Complement of officers is as follows: Capt. W. M. Meade, Lieut.-Commander, Executive Officer Schute, Lieut.-Commander and Navigating Officer Hughes, Lieut. N. C. Twining, Lieut. F. H. Schofield, Lieut. D. F. Selous, Lieut. J. K. Robinson, Ensign E. P. Jessup, Cadets Sadler and Gilmer, Pay Clerks Doyle and Hasket, Medical Inspector Simons, Assistant Surgeon McCulloch, Pay Inspector Stanton, Chaplain Bourne, Capt. of U. S. M. C., C. M. Perkins, Lieut. F. L. Bradman, Chief Engineer Burd. In all, including the warrant officers, there are 28 officers and 288 men.

The armament of the Philadelphia includes twelve 6-inch quick-firing guns, four 6-pounders, four 3-pounders, five 1-pounders, four Colt's automatics, and one 3-inch field piece. There is a mascot on the steamer, a young bear cub, which was embarked at Port Angeles. There is also a game rooster.

The Warspite and Phoebe left a few hours after the arrival of the Philadelphia, for Vancouver, to be present at the holiday celebration there. They sailed out of the harbor at 3 p. m.

SPECIFICATIONS HAVE ARRIVED

Capt. Gaudin Has Under Consideration
Design of New Steamer For
Coast Patrol Service.

The specifications for the construction of the new revenue cutter and fishery protection cruiser to be built to look after the fishery and other interests of this province, as told in the Colonist of yesterday, have been received by Capt. Gaudin, the local agent of the marine and fisheries department, for his consideration and report. The specifications call for a wooden screw steamer of 155 feet in length, the breadth, depth of hold and other particulars to be left to the suggestion of the local agent. The new steamer will not be much smaller than

the Quadra, which is 170 feet in length, and she is to be as speedy, if not faster. Capt. Gaudin is now considering the needs of the vessel, to meet all the requirements necessitated by the service into which she is to be placed when completed, namely, to guard the fishing grounds from poachers, and otherwise look after the fishery interests, to look after smugglers and coast pirates, shipwrecked crews, and for other such service. He will report to the Ottawa authorities his view of her requirements, and then, it is understood, tenders will be called for the construction of the steamer. She will undoubtedly be built in British Columbia, and at the port whose shipbuilders submit tenders most satisfactory to the government.

MARINE NOTES.

Cottage City Sails This Morning—War-
rimoo Sails—Lumber Ships
Arrive.

Steamer Cottage City will sail for Skagway, Sitka, Juneau, the Glaciers and other Alaskan ports of call, this morning. Among the passengers booked from here are Mrs. J. McNamee, wife of the well known Klondike millionaire, whose brother was recently shot and killed by Charles Hubbard at Port Yukon, as told in these columns; Mrs. McNamee's husband, who went up to join her husband at Lake Bennett, where he is employed, and W. Kleinburg.

Steamer Kooreen, bringing general cargo, including cannery supplies, is expected daily from London, and the Brussels and Remore, from England, are due. The schooner Corona, of the big fleet chartered to load lumber at Chemainus, arrived in the Royal Roads early this morning. She is from Honolulu, which port she left about the end of May.

The contract for the construction of the wooden-tower lighthouse to be erected on the Ballina Islands has been awarded by the department of marine and fisheries to George Frost, of Nanaimo. Construction will be commenced at once. The lighthouse will be similar to that erected on Fiddle Reef.

Finance and Commerce

TORONTO MINING QUOTATIONS.

(Furnished by A. W. More & Co.)

Toronto, June 29.—Closing quotations to-day were:

	Asked	Bid.
Athabasca	25	23 1/2
B. C. Gold Fields	2 1/2	1 1/2
Big Three	2 1/2	1 1/2
Black Trail	16	15
Brandon and Golden C.	18 1/2	14
Butte and Boston	3	2 1/2
Bullion	30	29
Canadian G. P. S.	87	80
Caribou Hydraulic	1.16	1.11
Centre Star	1.51	1.45
Crow's Nest Pass	39.00	37.50
California	9 1/2	7 1/2
Danville	3 1/2	2 1/2
Deer Trail Con.	3 1/2	2 1/2
Deer Trail	8	7
Evening Star	5 1/2	4 1/2
Fairview Corp.	12 1/2	12
Golden Star	4	2 1/2
Gold Hills	4	2 1/2
Giant	3 1/2	2 1/2
Hammond Reef	9 1/2	9
Hecla	3 1/2	2 1/2
Grandy Jim	28	17
Jim Blaine	11	12
King	7	5 1/2
Knob Hill	30	33
Lone Pine—Surprise Con.	16	12 1/2
Minnesota	4	1 1/2
Monte Christo Con.	4 1/2	3 1/2
Monte Christo Gold Fields	4 1/2	3 1/2
Montreal and London	28 1/2	26
Morning Glory	4	3
Morrison	3	1
Mountain Lion	86	80
Noble Five	4 1/2	2 1/2
North Star	1.03	97
Novelty	2 1/2	1 1/2
Old Dominion	70	40
Old Ironsides	18	10
Oliver	1.02	96
Payne, ex div.	5	3 1/2
Princess Mary	23	21
Rambler Caribou Con.	3	1
Rathmullen	94	88
Republic	2	1 1/2
Slocan Sovereign	2	1 1/2
Tananauk	5	2 1/2
Van And	3	2 1/2
Victory Triumph	2 1/2	2 1/2
Vine	64 1/2	60
War Eagle Con.	1.48 1/2	1.46
Waterloo	4	3
Winthrop	14 1/2	14 1/2

MORNING SALES.

Hammond Reef—500 at 9 1/2; 1,000 at 9 1/2.
Athabasca—500 at 21; 500 at 23 1/2.
Canadian G. P. S.—50 at 8.
Morning Glory—1,000 at 9 1/2.
Hammond Reef—2,000 at 9 1/2.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Hammond Reef—500, 500, 500, 500, 500 at 9 1/2.
Victory Triumph—500 at 2 1/2.
White Bear—500, 500, 500 at 1 1/2.
Golden Star—500 at 12 1/2.
Crow's Nest—1,000 at 38.50.
Black Trail—1,000 (wd) at 15 1/2.
Deer Trail—500 at 5.
Princess Mary—5,000 at 4 1/2.
Knob Hill—500 at 37.
Athabasca—100 at 23.
Minnesota—1,000 at 1 1/2.
Board adjourned until July 3.

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woman, at the clouds behind which the
eclipse of the sun took place a little while
ago."—Chicago Tribune.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

(Furnished by B. Williams & Co.,
Stock Brokers.)

Chicago, June 29.—The following quo-
tations ruled on the Board of Trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	79 1/2	81 1/2	79 1/2	81 1/2
July	79 1/2	81 1/2	79 1/2	81 1/2
July	42 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
July	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2

New York, June 29.—The following quo-
tations ruled on the Stock Exchange to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amn. Sugar	113 1/2	114 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2
C. R. & Q.	124 1/2	124 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2
C. M. & S. P.	110 1/2	110 1/2	110	110
H. S. R. T.	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
P. G. Chicago	97	97	97 1/2	97 1/2
C. R. I. & P.	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amn. Tob.	90 1/2	90 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
A. & S. F. pfd.	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
T. C. & I.	66	66 1/2	65 1/2	66
A. & S. F. com.	25	25 1/2	25	25 1/2
H. R. T. pfd.	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Con. Tob.	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
A. S. & W. com.	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2

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Corn (whole) per ton 25.00/28.00
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Hay (baled) per ton 14.00/16.00
Straw, per bale 50/75
Middlings, per ton 17.00/20.00
Bran, per ton 16.00/18.00
Ground Feed, per ton 20.00/30.00

Vegetables—
Potatoes (new) per lb 2
Beef (Milk) 10/15
Potatoes (new) 5/10
Water Cress, per bunch 10/15
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Cauliflower, per head 10/15
Celery, per bunch 15
Lettuce, four heads for 25
Onions, per lb 3
Onions (pickling) per lb 3 1/2
Gherkins, per lb 3 1/2
Radishes, 2 bunches for 15
Carrots, per lb 15
Tomatoes 15
Cucumbers (Island) each 15

Fish—
Salmon, (smoked) per lb 10
Salmon, (spruce) per lb 10
Shrimps, per lb 8 1/2
Cod, per lb 8 1/2
Haddock, per lb 8 1/2
Herring 8
Smelts 10
Flounders 10
Crabs, 3 for 25

Farm Produce—
Fresh Island Eggs, per doz 25
Eggs, (Mainland) per doz 20
Butter, (Delta Creamery) 30
Butter, (best dairy) 25 1/2
Butter, (Covington creamery) 30
Cheese, (Canadian) 18 1/2
Lard, per lb 15

Meats—
Hams, (American) per lb 10
Hams, (Canadian) per lb 10
Bacon, (Canadian) per lb 10
Bacon, (rolled) per lb 12 1/2
Bacon, (long clear) per lb 12 1/2
Shoulders, per lb 14
Beef, per lb 10 1/2
Mutton, per lb 10 1/2
Veal, per lb 10 1/2
Pork, per lb 10 1/2

Fruit—
Bananas, per doz 25/35
Oranges, per doz 25/35
Cocoanuts, each 10/15
Apples, per lb 10/12 1/2
Cherries, per lb 10/12 1/2
Strawberries, per lb 10/12 1/2
Peaches, per lb 10/12 1/2
Gooseberries, per lb 5/6
Lemons, (California) per doz 10/15
Lemons, (small) 10/15
Apples, per box 25/30
Cranberries, per lb 15
Muscatels 20/30
Nectarines, per lb 10/15
Blackberries, per lb 10/15
Raspberries, per lb 10/15

Poultry—
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VICTORIA'S WELCOME.

There was nothing lacking in the
warmth of the greeting extended to
Lieutenant-Governor Joly on his arrival
in this city yesterday. If Sir Henri sees
in it a cordial desire on the part of the
people of Victoria to make him feel that
he is among friends, he will interpret it
aright; and if he understands it as an
expression of satisfaction because the
end of a disturbed condition of affairs
has been reached, he will not be mis-
taken. The province has just passed
through a trying experience, and one
that we hope will never be renewed. We
are satisfied that Sir Henri will do what
in him lies to prevent its recurrence.

And now that it is all over and a new
lieutenant-governor is with us, can we
not all agree that by-gones shall be by-
gones, and unite in an effort to advance
the interests of our noble province?

IN CHINA.

It is more difficult than ever to arrive
at any intelligent conclusion concerning
the exact condition of things in China;
but there seems to be reason for think-
ing that, as far as the Chinese govern-
ment is concerned, there will not be very
much difficulty in getting matters on a
peaceful basis again. In view of the tre-
mendous preparations being made by
Russia and Japan, it is premature to
imagine that the end of trouble in the
East is anywhere in sight. A despatch
yesterday morning said that Russia had
issued orders to all her troops to prepare
for immediate mobilization, and yester-
day afternoon it was reported from St.
Petersburg that the naval reserve had
been ordered out and that eleven tor-
pedo boats are being prepared for im-
mediate service. A naval force is not
necessary to fight the Boxers, or even
to make war against China, for the
powers have already plenty of ships on
the Chinese coast to take care of that
Empire's fleet. If Russia is making the
feverish preparations attributed to her,
the only possible explanation is that she
contemplates independent action against
China. Readers must have noticed that
Japan is taking the leading place in point
of strength among all the powers co-
operating against China. She is, of
course, in a position to still further
strengthen her contingent to the allied
forces. We can understand that Russia
will not view this increase with com-
placency. But what use will Russia
make of those torpedo boats? It is a
long way from St. Petersburg to the Gulf
of Pe-chili, and torpedo boats must
stop often to coal on the way. If in
the meantime war should break out with
Japan, the British coal stations would
be closed to these boats, in which event
they would be better off in the Baltic
than anywhere else.

ORIENTAL IMMIGRATION.

Commenting upon the decision of the
federal government to send a commis-
sioner to the Pacific Coast to inquire into
the question of Oriental immigration, the
News-Advertiser says that the people of
British Columbia do not want any
theories on the subject. This is very
true. Oriental immigration has, so far
as the people of this province are con-
cerned, gone far beyond the theoretical
stage. To quote Mr. Cleveland's famous
Message, "It is a condition, not a
theory, that confronts us." Never-
theless British Columbia, not being the
whole of Canada, and her voice in the
control of affairs not being as strong as
we would all like it to be, there is a wide
field of usefulness for such a commission
and much valuable information can be
gathered, which will perhaps have the
effect of changing the theories enter-
tained on this subject by Eastern people.

To say this is not to excuse the
Laurier ministry for its neglect to deal
adequately with the question during the
present session of parliament. No satis-
factory explanation has been given why
the legislation brought down has not

been upon the lines recommended by
Mr. Chamberlain a year ago. It cannot
be successfully contended that anything
has happened since this time last year
to render it inadvisable that the prin-
ciples of the Natal Act should be applied
to Canada. Mr. Chamberlain thought
they might be so applied a year ago, and
as we have already remarked in these
columns, while the Oriental question is
more acute now than it was then, the
principle involved in our relations with
Japan is unaltered. The people of British
Columbia are distinctly disappointed at
the manner in which Sir Wilfrid
Laurier has dealt with the question, and
the promise of a commission to the Im-
perial authorities gives only a limited
degree of satisfaction.

Nevertheless we are glad that the com-
mission has been promised, and hope, it
will accomplish a very great deal of good.
We do not think that all the facts that
will be brought out by it will be wholly
agreeable to some of those who are
prominent in anti-Chinese agitation. It
will be made to appear, we imagine, that
some of those, who are specially furious
because capitalists employ Chinamen,
are not above employing them for their
own purposes. The commission will ex-
plode much of the hollow nonsense that
is talked by agitators. In this way it
will do good. But its chief effect, if the
inquiry is honestly conducted, will be to
show that, no matter what may be said
in favor of cheap Oriental labor, Oriental
competition is a very hurtful thing to the
province. On this point there is no
ground for a difference of opinion. We
have reached a point where a steady in-
crease of Orientals will be a menace to
the progress and prosperity of our people.
Moreover, as we have already often con-
tended, it is imperative that on this
"threshold of Empire" the population
should be as strongly British as possible.
We believe that when the East under-
stands the subject thoroughly, justice
will be done.

CHINESE IN MINES.

We referred yesterday to a statement
made by Mr. W. W. B. McInnes to the
Vancouver Province to effect that Mr.
Dunsinuir was not only not taking Chi-
na-men out of his mines as promised, but
was actually putting more in at Alexan-
dra and Extension. We denied this
statement most fully from the informa-
tion then available; and at once com-
municated with the managers of the mines to
learn the facts. Our new information is
explicit, and it is that not a single Chi-
na-man has been put to work in the Alexan-
dra mine, and that none have been em-
ployed there for over fifteen months. As
to the Extension mine, not only have no
Chinamen been employed in the mine
since Mr. Dunsinuir's promise to "take
them out as rapidly as he could fill their
places, but up to yesterday ninety-two
white men have been employed in the
Extension mines in the place of Chi-
na-men, and there are only seventy-two
Chinamen now employed in the mines
there, whose places will be supplied just
as soon as white men offer.

In view of these facts, the position in
which Mr. McInnes has seen fit to place
himself is certainly an unenviable one.
Comment upon it is unnecessary.

TRADE WITH THE NORTH.

We had a paragraph in the Colonist
yesterday telling of the vast increase in
the coal trade between British Columbia
and the North. The business is only in
its infancy. A Victorian, writing from
White Horse a few days ago, said that
this new town is destined to become one
of the most active industrial centres in
the country, and that the copper mines
in the vicinity would make it a second
Butte City. There is plenty of evidence
to warrant faith in a great future for
Atlin. These things mean a greatly in-
creased demand for coal, for while there
are deposits of coal in the Yukon, the
grade is inferior, and it will probably al-
ways pay to carry this commodity up
from the Vancouver Island mines.

But coal is only one item, and though a
large one in point of bulk, is a small one
in point of value. The Northern trade
will assume enormous proportions. Prac-
tically everything must be taken up that
the people will require for living pur-
poses, including much of the material for
buildings. The commercial activity that
will be developed within the next few
years bids fair to be very great, and it
is to be hoped that Canadian transporta-
tion companies will place themselves in a
position to handle it more satisfactorily
than they are at present. Canada has by
far the greater part of the commercial
business of the North. An effort ought
to be made to secure an equal proportion
of the passenger traffic.

CANADA AND FRANCE.

Mr. Tarte is credited with having said
in Paris that in case of war between
Great Britain and France, Canada would
not fight against the latter. We agree
with the Toronto Star when it says that
the discussion of such matters as this
ought to be dropped, and that it will be
time enough for any one to say what
Canada will or will not do in such an
emergency when it arises. If Mr. Tarte
has said what is attributed to him, he
has taken a great deal upon himself.

The relations of Canada and France
are not specially intimate, notwithstanding
the fact that such a large proportion
of our population is of French descent.
Quebec owes little to France. It has
grown up from being a sparsely settled
and poverty-stricken colony to a prosper-
ous province under the protection of the
British flag. The present flag of France
means nothing to the French-Canadian
of to-day, although in the minds of a few
of them a false sentimentalism may sur-
round it, a purely manufactured senti-

mentalism without historical justifica-
tion. So far as the French element of the
Canadian population is concerned, the
constant effort of all the people ought
to be directed towards removing as far
as possible any racial distinctions. Dur-
ing the last year or two there has been
a marked tendency in certain quarters
to draw the lines more distinctly than
ever. This is greatly to be deprecated.
It is not worth while troubling ourselves
as to what we shall do in case of a war
with France. Let us give our attention
to what we ought to do in a time of peace
to solidify the population of the Domi-
nion and bring about such a perfect
unanimity of sentiment, that there will
be only one voice speaking for the people
of Canada in any emergency that may
hereafter arise, and that voice for the
unity and integrity of the British Em-
pire and its defence against all the
world.

THE SIFTONIAN MENAGERIE.

Mr. W. T. Preston, travelling agent
for the Siftonian Menagerie, is at present
in Belgium arranging for a great Boer
trick to Canada. Mr. Preston says "we
want the Boers." With some opportu-
nities for observing public opinion in this
neck of the woods, we must confess not
to have heard any particular clamor to
that effect. We have heard people say
that they want the Boers to be soundly
licked; also that they want the Boers to
stand up and fight like men, so that the
war can be brought to a close; also
some of a more frivolous disposition
want the Boers to be compelled by the
terms of peace to take a bath; but no
cry has gone up for the Boers as neigh-
bors and friends. Mr. Preston has
a method in his madness, so to speak.
He would have the Canadians say to the
former subjects of Oom Paul: "We
have come down to your place to show
you how to fight; now come up to our
place and we'll show you how to farm."
How would it do for Mr. Sifton to sug-
gest to the war office that there is a very
snug nucleus for a Boer colony now in
St. Helena, and that those of the prison-
ers who have wives and families should
be allowed to send for them, and then
that the whole lot should be transplanted
to Manitoba, and, having been natural-
ized and placed on the voters' list, be
located where they would do the most
good? Mr. Sifton is politician enough
to understand the latter phrase without
the assistance of a translator.

But speaking seriously, we do not re-
gard Mr. Preston's suggestion as a bad
one by any means. The Boers are open
to objection in many ways, and we fear
that their habits of life would not fit
them for farming in a country where
labor commands good prices, for they
have been accustomed to the cheapest of
the cheap in this respect. But if any
number of them would be willing to come
to Canada and adapt themselves to
Canadian methods, we are confident that
in time they would make good settlers.
The suggestion is unique; for we fancy
this is the first time it was ever pro-
posed to a conquered people that they
should voluntarily leave their own coun-
try and accept gifts of land in the coun-
try of their conqueror.

The return of Lieut. Herron, U.S.A.,
who has been exploring for a route for a
railway between the Alaskan coast and
the lower Yukon that would avoid Brit-
ish territory, will doubtless be followed
by the publication of some interesting
information about a country hitherto un-
known. We judge that from the fact
that he is not reported as saying any-
thing on the subject, that he did not find
what he was looking for.

The short time in which arrangements
could be made for the reception of Sir
Henri Joly rendered it necessarily largely
an informal affair. The individual
invitations issued were only to those who
for some political reason might be con-
sidered entitled to them. A general in-
vitation was of course extended to every-
one to take part, and many people avail-
ed themselves of the opportunity to take
part in the welcome of the new Lieuten-
ant-Governor.

The school children make a great de-
mand upon our space this morning, but
we are sure that older people will will-
ingly give them precedence. We wish the
young folk a happy vacation, and to such
of them as yesterday took their leave of
their school days, we extend a hearty ex-
pression of good will. It can hardly be
that all their bright ambitions will be
realized in the struggle in which they
are now about to engage, but each of
them can so conduct himself or herself
as to meet with intelligent self-approval,
and that this there is no higher reward
in this life.

LENORA MINE.

To the Editor of the Colonist:

Sir: I notice in the Colonist of to-day
a report of an interview with Mr.
Brewer, describing the Mount Sicker
mines. But for the fact that the de-
scription of the Lenora mine is full of
errors, I should not have written this
letter. You state:

"The ore body first discovered in the
Lenora was stope out by Messrs. Pat-
terson and Smith, the former owners.
Last fall Mr. Buckston, a Nevada min-
ing man, took hold of the Lenora and
found a second ore body, from which
4,000 tons have already been shipped.
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practically all stope out above that
level and thoroughly timbered with
square sets. Because of the neglect to
keep development work ahead, the com-
pany will probably have a considerable
amount of dead work to do before again
taking out ore on the same scale as dur-
ing the last eight or nine months. A
winze has been sunk from the adit level
about 100 feet and a crosscut run 98
feet from the bottom towards the south,
where ore was encountered, but that
work was stopped some time ago, prin-
cipally because of the expense of hoist-
ing by a hand windlass and the neces-
sity of putting in machinery if that work
was continued. In my opinion, it is a
great detriment to the mine that the
work was not continued with a small
force, the level prospected and the ore
blocked out when the stope was done
in the upper level. If that had been
carried out at that time it would not
have been necessary to stop shipping,
which they will possibly have to do until
the dead work is done."

The ore body first discovered has not
been stope out, and work can be con-
tinued at any time on this ore body and
ore stope. Messrs. Patterson and
Smith never owned the mine, and the
former has not had any interest in the
mine; the latter was one of the original
owners. Mr. Buckston did not find the
second ore body, and 4,000 tons have not
been shipped from this ore body. The
ore body is not practically all stope out
above the adit level, and at the present
time we have ore on five floors that are
mining. The company has only been
mining for five months, instead of eight
or nine. The company, instead of get-
ting out less ore, will probably increase
the output, and will push development as
it is needed. The crosscut struck ore, as
stated, but the crosscut to the north,
which is not mentioned, did strike ore.
Anyone reading your article would im-
agine that the company had about
stope out all the ore and would find it
necessary to stop shipping. This is en-
tirely contrary to facts. While I be-
lieve at the present every facility in seeing
the Lenora or any other mine in which I
am interested, I consider it only just
that the reports given to the public
should be accurate and not misleading.
On one occasion before a description of
this mine was published in a British
Columbia paper, and not content with
describing the workings on the Lenora,
a description of an up-country mine on
which a considerable amount of work
had been done, was added, thereby mis-
leading the public by giving the Lenora
credit for nearly five times the amount
of work that had been done on the
property.
HENRY CROFT.

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Mrs. Bloomfield.—Sometimes those
Boers are called commissioners, some-
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Mr. Bloomfield.—Well, they are in Amer-
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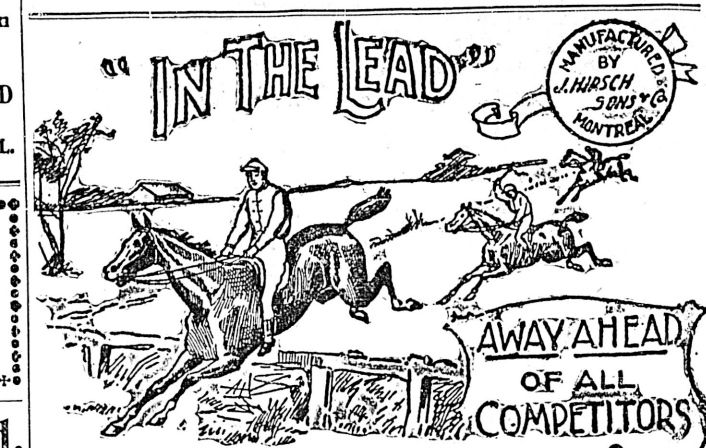
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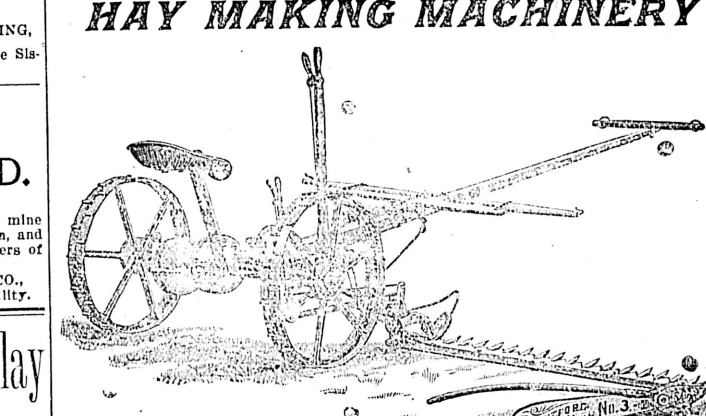
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Summer Carnival on Monday, Dominion Day, July 2.—The Cowichan Agricultural Association, Duncan, have arranged for a midsummer show, including a flower carnival, bicycle gymkhana and sports of all kinds. The Fifth Regiment band will be in attendance all day. Trains leave at 9 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Fare, only 50 cents for the round trip. Bicycles will be carried free.

Dominion Day Picnics.—The Presbyterian churches will hold their annual outing at Goldstream on Monday, July 2. Special trains will leave at 8 a.m., 10 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. The outing at 1:30 p.m. will be to the Spring Ridge Baptist and Calvary Baptist churches will hold their outing at the spacious grounds at Colwood, where a suitable programme of sports and games will be carried out.

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Port Angeles Sunday.—The Fifth Regiment band have chartered the popular excursion steamer, City of Nanaimo, to sail from C. P. N. Co's wharf at 1:30 p.m., Sunday. As there is no excursion to Port Angeles on the 4th of July as in former years, no doubt a great many will avail themselves of the opportunity to enjoy the sail across the Straits and spend a few hours with their friends at Angeles.

Eightieth Drawing.—Last evening the eightieth drawing for an appropriation in the Victoria Building Society took place, the committee in charge consisting of C. Gardiner, W. J. Anderson and James Wilcox. The first drawing is held by Mr. S. Jones, and C and D withdrawn. A second drawing resulted successfully for No. 107, A of which was held by John Reed, and B, C and D withdrawn. A third drawing brought out No. 3, of which A and B were withdrawn, and C and D were with the estate of the late Mrs. Alice Johnson.



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Not Dead.—A telegram has been received at New Westminster from George Williams, who was reported to have died in San Francisco. Mr. Williams is still very much alive.

Married Last Evening.—At the manse, last evening, the Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of Herbert, the son of Mrs. Campbell, of Vancouver, and Mary, the daughter of Mr. Williams. They will make their home in this city.

New Pastor.—Rev. Otto H. Meltzer, lately of Douglas, Wash., has arrived in this city to take charge of the Lutheran church. He will deliver his first sermon at the Reformed Episcopal Sunday school next Sunday, at 11 a.m.

Record Freight Haul.—A consignment of clothing from the W. E. Sandford Manufacturing Company, of Hamilton, reached Victoria in the short time of 13 days, over the C. P. R. This is believed to be the fastest haul of ordinary freight for a long distance on record.

Early Cars.—For the convenience of excursionists who intend going to Vancouver on Sunday morning for the celebration, the street railway company have decided to give a special early service. Cars will run from 6 o'clock to the outer wharf.

The Sailors' Assault Case.—Mate Charles Winter and seamen Alex. Sol. W. H. Gower, Jan Smith and J. Holben, of the bark James Drummond, lying in Esquimalt, were charged with assaulting Thomas Chambers, a colored man. Mention of the fracas was made in the Colonist. Poor Chambers, who is badly used up, was unable to appear, so the case was remanded until Tuesday next.

Got Three Months.—Walter King, the variety actor, who stole a quantity of clothing from a Fitz-Robert store on Government street, was sentenced to three months imprisonment in the police court yesterday by Magistrate Hall. King said he had been drinking and did not know what he was doing, but the magistrate did not consider this a sufficient excuse.

Awarded Damages.—The case of Bird et al. v. Veith & Borland, which has occupied the Supreme court for the past seven days, and on a previous trial for five days at this same period of last year, was yesterday brought to a conclusion by the speaker's jury returning a verdict for the plaintiffs for \$3,700 damages and costs. Mr. Lindley Crease and A. D. Crease for the plaintiffs, and E. V. Bodwell, Q.C., H. D. Helmecken, Q.C., and L. P. Duff for the defendants.

Big Show.—The "Wright's Original Nashville Students," combined with Gildon's Big Minstrel Carnival—one of the biggest of minstrel consolidations—will be the attraction at the Victoria theatre on Monday evening. This monster organization carries 45 people, travel in its own train of special cars, and presents a programme of minstrel features unmatched in merit and attractive in variety. The good old days of minstrelsy are recalled in the Occidental quartette's rendering of old Southern melodies—days "Foh de Wah"—and in the most charming character scenes of old plantation life, which supplements up-to-date ideas of this style of amusement and makes up a programme that cannot fail to amuse old and young alike. It is said to be a veritable feast of amusement, fun, fast and furious, running through the whole programme, and vaudeville surprise tumbler, jugglers, acrobats, slack wire performers, furnish a score of surprises, while 15 colored comedians, end men, singers, dancers and a dozen other features tickle an audience for three solid hours.

Alexander-Clark.—At the Queen's Avenue Methodist church, Westminster, on Wednesday evening, Mr. Byron C. Alexander, formerly of Winnipeg, now residing in Victoria, was united in matrimony to Miss Annie Laura Clark, daughter of Prof. John A. Clark of Merced, California, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. J. F. Bots, pastor of the church. The bride was given away by her uncle, Mr. George McK. Heather, from whose home in Winnipeg she arrived on Monday. She was beautifully attired in peach-blossom silk, with white chiffon and blue brocade with pink trimmings, and each lady carried a bouquet, the gift of the groom. The groom was ably supported by Mr. T. W. Martin, dale, of Nanaimo, while the bride was graciously attended by her cousin, Miss Heather of Winnipeg. The bride party entered the church and retired after the ceremony, to the strains of the "Wedding March," played by Mrs. T. R. Pearson. The church was tastefully decorated for the occasion by the young ladies of the Epworth League. After the service a reception was held in the parsonage, where the guests were pleasantly entertained. The presents were numerous, among which was a cheque for a handsome sum, the gift of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander will make their home at 132 Quadra street, Victoria.

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Holidays At The Schools

Interesting Closing Exercises At the Various Educational Institutions.

The Special Prize Winners and the Promotion Lists.

The school teachers and school children of Victoria yesterday entered upon their annual summer vacation; and the event was marked by examinations and pleasing exercises in the various educational institutions. The vacation lasts until August 13, giving teachers and scholars six weeks' freedom from study.

Closing examinations were held in the morning in the Boys' and Girls' Central, the South Park, the Hillside, Spring Ridge, Victoria West and Kingston street schools. The North Ward and High school exercises occurred in the afternoon. There were large numbers of interested visitors at the various classrooms. The result of the High school entrance examinations will not be made known until some date in July.

A very interesting feature of the High school closing exercises was the oratorical competition, at 10 o'clock, for a prize offered by Mayor Hayward. Twelve students, selected from the four divisions of the school, competed, coming in singly, according to lot. On reaching the platform, before the assembled students and visitors, the competitor received the subject from the Mayor, who presided, and was informed that he would be allowed five minutes in which to speak upon said subject, which was "Oliver Cromwell." The fact that the competitors had not had even a hint as to what the subject would be made their efforts all the more interesting. The attempts of the speakers were certainly very creditable, and time had to be called in the case of several. The embryonic orators who took part in the competition were: Winifred Johnson, Gladys Campbell, Melmus, Elsie Seelig, Ida Redfern, Ernest Tully, Elsie Strupel, Arthur Fletcher, May Tully, Maud Field, James Russell. A ballot having been taken, Miss Tully was adjudged the winner, to whom Mayor Hayward presented the prize, a handsome Athin tassel.

The final exercises were held in the Pemberton gymnasium, beginning at 2 p.m., and were carried out in connection with a very interesting musical programme. The choir was occupied by Hon. J. D. Prentice, minister of education. The principal in a few well chosen words, spoke of the satisfactory progress made by the school during the year. The promotion lists were then read.

The following prizes and honor rolls were awarded: Medal presented by Mr. C. E. Redfern to pupil of Division II, taking highest rank in Latin and French, won by Miss Marie Gibson. Miss Alice Redfern, who stood only one mark lower received a second prize from the Principal. Miss Ohlson was awarded Miss Watson's prize as pupil of Fourth Division. Miss Tully, Superintendent Eaton's prize for proficiency in calisthenics.

Rolls of honor were given as follows: Department, Marie Gibson, Arthur Levy, Maud Field; regularity and punctuality, Amy Wilson, Vm. Patterson, Leo Anderson; proficiency, Olive Preston, Fannie Strupel, Ellen Ohlson.

Mr. Redfern, in presenting his medal, made a short address, and promised a medal next year, to be given for proficiency in English history.

A feature, which can be said to have been an oration on "The War in South Africa," by Miss Tully, the winner in the morning's competition. In "Class Prophecies," by Hugh Seelig, some humorous allusions were made to members of the First Division, and to interesting prophecies as to their future. The speedy erection of a new High school building was also predicted, which prediction received hearty applause. The valedictorian of the graduating class, Campbell Brody, addressed his fellow students and teachers in a few well chosen words setting forth lofty ideals and an intensity of purpose to which it is hoped all will aspire.

All the parts of the programme presented by the pupils—club singing by Miss Strupel, recitations by Misses Ure and Tully, and the several musical renditions—were deserving of mention. The band drill by sixteen young ladies, bearing beautiful floral wreaths, was exceedingly pretty.

Speeches followed. The Minister of Education expressed himself greatly pleased with this first visit to the school. The Bishop of Columbia was pleased to note that the orator of the school was a young lady, and he looked hopefully forward to the time when woman shall take her proper place in the world. Her purifying influence is needed in politics. Rev. Mr. Rowe, always interested in matters pertaining to schools, was pleased with his first visit to the schools of Victoria. He urged the development of high artistic character. The highest life is the life that goes on in the heart. Being a patriotic Canadian as well as a loyal British subject, he announced that he would offer a prize for competition in Canadian history.

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YESTERDAY'S FUNERALS.

Impressive Services at the Funerals of Mrs. Lawson and Mrs. Tranter.

The funeral of the late Mrs. C. R. Lawson took place yesterday afternoon, services being conducted at the church and graveside by Rev. Dr. Wilson. The members of Court Northern Light, A. O. F., of which Mr. Lawson was a member, attended in a body, and the following Foresters acted as pall-bearers: Messrs. G. E. Hamit, E. H. Henley, J. G. Hill, W. H. Cox, C. Lee and G. Woods. The remains of the late Mrs. Tranter were laid at rest yesterday afternoon, the funeral taking place from the family residence at 2:30. There was a large attendance, and a beautiful floral tributes. Messrs. Barracough and Knox conducted the services, and the following gentlemen assisted as pall-bearers: Messrs. J. B. McConnell, W. C. Holt, Allen Graves, J. Dennis, R. Keeler and A. Thomas.

Collecting Curios.—Dr. Dorsey, of the Field Columbian Museum, Chicago, and Stewart Culin, curator of the Free Museum of Science and Art of the University of Pennsylvania, are in the city. They are touring the Pacific Coast, collecting Indian curios for their respective museums.

Coming Attraction.—The next attraction at the Victoria theatre is a mammoth colored minstrel show of 45 people. "Wright's Original Nashville Students," one of the biggest minstrel consolidations—represents the most liberal of amusement enterprises in this country. It carries 45 popular entertainers in the famous quartette of acts presented to the public. Put on a rampart and refined. Every act is different and there is no surfeit of any one act, no curtain waits to mar the continuous round of pleasure. Expert wire walkers, acrobats, the famous Occidental quartette of mixed voices, an admirable quartette of mixed voices, jugglers, tumbler and other interesting features are bunched in its programme in enjoyable profusion and liberality. A grand symphony orchestra, of skilled musicians play at every performance, two big peerless bands, with 40 soloists, form a feature of its attractive street

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Angelo Excursion.—Tickets for the Fifth Regiment band excursion to Port Angeles to-morrow may be obtained of E. E. Blackwood, at the N. P. Ry. office, or of H. L. Salmon, corner of Government and Yates street.

Scientific Research.—The first summer dredging expedition of the season under the auspices of the Natural History Society will take place to-day. A steamer will leave Jones' bouthouse at 9:30, and his arrival from the North that his infant daughter had died. The little one's death occurred on Wednesday. The funeral will take place at 2:15 this afternoon from the residence, No. 9 Humboldt street, and later at Christ Church cathedral.

His Child Dead.—Engineer T. J. Arnall, of the steamer Tees, had a sad home coming yesterday. He found upon his arrival from the North that his infant daughter had died. The little one's death occurred on Wednesday. The funeral will take place at 2:15 this afternoon from the residence, No. 9 Humboldt street, and later at Christ Church cathedral.

Busy Firemen.—For the third time in 24 hours the firemen were called out at 9:20 yesterday morning to extinguish a blaze in the two-story residence on Frederick street occupied by Sergt. Redgrave, of the city police, who is at present in San Francisco. The fire started in a closet upstairs, and was making considerable headway when the firemen arrived and quickly extinguished it. The loss will amount to \$200. The building is owned by Mr. Norris.

After a Long Illness.—Mrs. Maria Byrnes, relict of the late George Byrnes, died yesterday at the Jubilee hospital, where she had been a patient for several months, suffering from an affection of the heart. The deceased was a native of Dublin, 50 years of age. She had been a resident of the province for many years and, like her late husband, endeared herself to all with whom she came in contact by her pleasant manner and kindly acts. A daughter and a son survive her. The latter, Albert Neote, recently came from California to visit his mother and was on his way south again when notified of her death. He will return this morning. The funeral will take place at 2:30 on Monday, from the hospital, and later from Christ Church cathedral.

Long Pending Case.—The trial of the Attorney-General v. Dunlop was commenced in the Supreme court yesterday before Mr. Justice Martin, and after some evidence had been taken was continued until this morning. This action is an outcome of the long pending cases of Dunlop v. Haney, and Haney v. Dunlop, respecting adverse claims to mineral claims in West Kootenay. Mr. F. Carter-Cotton, ex-finance minister, and ex-Attorney-General Henderson are counsel for the defendant. Mr. John Kirk, gold commissioner at Rossland, was examined. Mr. R. Cassidy appears for the crown and Mr. L. P. Duff for the defendant, while Messrs. McPhillips & Barnard are watching the case for Haney.

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Holidays At The Schools

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book, presented by the First Division, Miss Watson, an elegant silver case, inkstand and pen and gold pen, for the class in calligraphy; Mr. Pines, a beautiful tablet calendar in leather, and a silver pencil case, for the Second Division.

In the Central school a competition open to pupils from all the public schools was held. There were 80 candidates, and the awards were as follows:

First Division Competition—Class prize given by H. D. Helmeke, M. P. P., won by Victoria West school, Principal Tait's class; Lily May Evans, Ruth E. Buckman, Harold H. Brown.

Fourth Division Competition—Class prize given by trustees, won by South Park school, competitors representing Miss Speer's, Mr. Winsby's and Mr. D. Tait's classes; Edith Heathcote, Edith Green, Flora Black, Eva Hume.

Third Reader Competition—Class prize given by trustees, won by Girls' school, Miss Lawson's class; Alice M. Lambert, Bessie M. Gates, Mary Louise, Florence Puse.

Second Reader Competition—Class prize given by Mrs. William Grant, won by North Ward school, Miss LePage's class; Archibald Babinston, Stanley Deville, Eleanor Gill, Thelma Thompson.

Besides the class prizes there were two individual prizes awarded, Dr. Lewis Hall's medal to the best reader in the Third Reader competition, won by Violet Powell, of Miss Lawson's class, Girls' school, and a prize given by William Henderson, Esq., for the best reader in the Second Reader competition, won by Geraldine Starr, of Miss Pape's class, South Park.

An individual prize was also awarded to Violet Powell, of the Second Division, Miss Barron teacher.

At the Spring Ridge school the proceedings opened in the usual way by the children assembling in the Principal's room and repeating the Lord's Prayer and singing the Doxology. The classes then entered their respective class rooms, where the usual work of the school room was taken up by each teacher until 10:30 p. m., when a short recess was given.

After the recess the pupils assembled again in the Principal's room, where a short programme of songs and recitations was rendered, the honor rolls presented by Trustee Brown, who said a few words in commendation of the work done by the teachers of the school, the promotion lists read, and short addresses by those present, after which the teachers and pupils presented Miss Arthur with two very appropriate and pretty presents. Miss Arthur, in a few touching words, thanked the pupils and teachers for their remembering her on the occasion of her departure.

Among about 100 present were Dr. Campbell, Mr. Miller, Mrs. Jenkins and Trustee Brown. The exercises were brought to a close by the singing of the national anthem.

Two presentations to teachers were made at the South Park school closing, Miss Frank, who terminates her engagement in the city schools, received from her pupils an ebony-backed dress-brush. Miss Cameron, the principal, was presented with a handsome silver-mounted brush and comb. Speeches were given by Rev. A. B. Winchester, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet, and Mr. Ferguson. No trustee was present. The following programme was rendered:

Violin Solo—Master Farwell
Recitation—Able Louise Cameron
Dance—Master Douglas
Recitation—Ethel Green
Piano Solo—Ada Spencer
Recitation—Ruby Allen
Chorus—"Soldiers of the Queen"
Recitation—"Boys"
"Maple Leaf"—Master Irving
God Save the Queen.

At the Girls' Central the closing exercises were held in the Pemberton gymnasium at 11 o'clock. Bishop Pettin, Mr. Drury, Dr. Powell, Dr. Campbell, and Mr. George Jay delivered short speeches, and the following programme was rendered:

Chant—Lord's Prayer—School
Song—March of Men of Harlech—Class
Piano Solo—Miss Violet Powell
Kindergarten Song—Junior Class
Song—God Bless the Prince of Wales—Class
Solo—The Absent-Minded Beggar—Class
Solo—The Maple Leaf—Miss Phyllis Jay
Song—The Maple Leaf—Class
Presentation of Rolls of Honor

God Save the Queen.
The class reading competition was won by Miss Lawson's class. An individual prize in reading was won by Violet Powell, of Miss Barron's class, and Dr. Hall's medal for the best individual reading in the Third Reader was taken by Miss Mary Louise, of Miss Lawson's class.

At St. Louis College the Governor-General's medal was awarded for improvement in writing. Mr. Sweeney having won it for the third time, it was drawn, by his consent, by those next in merit, and won by C. A. B. The watch given for Christian doctrine was awarded to Charles Brown. The prize and

promotion lists will be published to-morrow.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Promotee as from Division IV. to III.—Ellen C. Allen, Georgia Bird, Maud Field, Helen Rankin, Matilda Gaudes, Marjorie Lowe, May Neill, Nina Walls, Elizabeth Whittaker, Mabel Lyall, Jessie Grant, Muriel Wilson, Louise Benson, Mabel Burnie, Florence Vincent, William Patterson, Evelyn Crook, Harvey Saxton.

Promoted from Division III. to II.—Fannie Strachan, Wilfred Goddard, Samuel Shanks, Fred Wood, Ralph Gibson, Arthur Levy, James Russell, Leo Anderson, Winifred Harris, John McArthur, Violet Sweet, Christine Johnson, Gladys Campbell, Ernest Tait, Mabel Holt, John Barter, Albert Shanks, Florence Nicholls, Nellie Lovick, John Galloway, Kate Noble, Melissa Patten, Ina Redfern, Adelaide Mackin, Ellen Sellick, Lizzie Taylor, Charles Galloway, Jennie Colquhoun, Isabel Dunn, Jessie McKinnon, Grace Carlson.

Promoted from Division II. to I.—Oliver Preston, Bessie Hedger, Jerrald Potts, Marie Gibson, Alice Redfern, Arthur Fitcher, Marion Offerhaus, Beatrice Ball, Ray Sylvester, Lila Colburn, Keith Ford, Geddes Lyall, Winifred Johnson, Christina Murray, Cecil Hardie, Alice Fitcher, Catherine Lovell, Kate Redfern, Brock Robertson, Henry Hartnell, Sidney Powell.

GIRLS' CENTRAL.

Second Grade to Third Grade—Violet Powell, Florence Hick, Charlotte Dods, Elina Moun, Kristine Johnson, Maud Field, Kate C. King, Helen Whittington, Lillian Carson, Bertha Fraser, Marie Nicholls, Bernice Seaworth, Amelia Billingsley, Margaret Baker, Winifred Gabriel, Lily Mary Smith, May Selman, Charlotte Pearce, General Standing, Flora Hilda Huggert, Godefrida, Alice Wall, Josie Westcott, Adelaide King, Roll of Honor—General proficiency, Violet Irene Powell; regularity and punctuality, Charlotte Pearce and Bernice Seaworth (equal); deportment, Flora Hilda Huggert.

Third Grade to Second Grade—A. Keast, teacher—Violet Corishia, Alona Leonard, Leonie Ball, Alice Susan Brown, Pansy Bamford, Ethel Cassin, Cleopatra, Antonio John Drobb, Alice Catherine Dunn, Florence Emily Fitcher, Florence May Field, Margaret Hodgson, Eva Howell, Blossom Marion Hanna, Nancy Elizabeth Harrison, Lucy Harris, Grace Katherine Jay, Margaret Coster, James, Margaret, Malcolm, Alice Martha Moss, Lora Marks, Ellen Mason, Elizabeth Eva Masse, Myrtle Noble, Annie Patterson, Edna Rendell, Francis Reid, Ruby Florence Sylvester, Pearl Evelyn Vassiliu, Gwenethine Wilson, Ann Holmes, Florence Fullerton, Roll of Honor—Proficiency, Ruby Sylvester; deportment, Ann Holmes; regularity and punctuality, Florence Fullerton.

Fourth Grade to Third Grade—S. A. Robinson, teacher—Amy Viction, Evelyn Penelope, Annette, Tanika Anderson, Elsie Daglish, Brydon, Alice Grace Baker, Elizabeth Kay, Cameron, Cecil Maude Coves, Florence Louisa Carter, Elizabeth Annie Deane, Margaret Dearden, Jessie Ferguson, Dickson, Olive, Edna Grant, Helen Jean Hendry, Anna Ethel Elizabeth Hendry, Katherine More, Mary Victoria Moore, Katherine Jones, Katie, Robert, Marion, Kathryn, Adelaide Munster, Mary Margaret McInnes, Virginia Price Molony, Emily Nicholls, Edith Clara Pusey, Florence Isabel Ray, Nora Amelia Jane Rich, Mabel Helen Rausch, Helen Cook Smith, Mona Pauline Stubbs, Lillian Victoria, Sylvia Curran, Sheritt, Anne Lillian Tait, Elizabeth Webster, Ethel Rachel Woodill, Promoted on General Standing—Frederick Annie Renout, Jessie Adelaide Scott, Roll of Honor—General proficiency, Katherine More; deportment, Lillian Victoria Sims; regularity and punctuality, Jessie Adelaide Scott.

Fifth Grade to Fourth Grade—Roll of Honor—Proficiency, Alice Lambert; deportment, Jennie Tait; attendance, Dorothy Drobb. Promotions upon written examinations—Bessie Coates, Jessie Davis, Margaret Johnson, Frances Findlay, Alice Lambert, Mary Louise, Frances Pusey, Christine Renout, Eva Thompson, On General Standing—Emma Kent, Ethel Sargison, Emma Griffiths, Katie Malcolm, Gladys Hays, Ethel Whittington, Mary Bailey.

Sixth Grade to Fifth Grade—E. S. Shupack, teacher—Roll of Honor—Proficiency, Hazel Janet darkness; deportment, Ruby Christobelle Tubman; regularity and punctuality, Maud Lusse. Promoted on results of examination—Fessie Barker, Ivy Gertrude Cartwright, Ethel Gordon Gibson, Gladys Evelyn Greaves, Katie Hallam, Katie Hallam, Mary Hanna, Hazel Harkness, Clara Hick, Edythe Helen Lusscombe, Maude Lusse, Annie Mason, Ada Matheson, Alice McKello, Ruby Christobelle Tubman.

Seventh Grade to Sixth Grade—F. Brown, teacher—Roll of Honor—Proficiency, Hazel Janet darkness; deportment, Ruby Christobelle Tubman; regularity and punctuality, Maud Lusse. Promoted on results of examination—Fessie Barker, Ivy Gertrude Cartwright, Ethel Gordon Gibson, Gladys Evelyn Greaves, Katie Hallam, Katie Hallam, Mary Hanna, Hazel Harkness, Clara Hick, Edythe Helen Lusscombe, Maude Lusse, Annie Mason, Ada Matheson, Alice McKello, Ruby Christobelle Tubman.

Eighth Grade to Seventh Grade—Agnes Nason, teacher—Arthur Barnswell, Arthur Church, Arthur Creech, Archie Carson, Malcolm Crawford, Jack Frederick, James Ford, Robert Gibson, Gillin, Stirling Hanna, Maxwell Hickcock, Herbert Higginbottom, Rodrick Lamm, Jack Malcolm, Harry Norris, Tommy Norris, Dennis Pennoek, Wesley Shier, Kenneth Saunders, Cedric Cudby, Freddy Wainwright, Harry Recommended for Senior First Prize—Class—Arthur Ball, Jeffrey Bowers, Ralph Cartwright, Kenneth Dean, Norman Dickinson, Elmer Fincham, Willie Lang, Teddy Lines, Willie Levas, Fred Solis, Tommy Lusscoe, George Smith, Tommy Watson, Malcolm Walker, Hon. or Roll—Proficiency, Wesley Shier; deportment, Stirling Hanna; regularity and punctuality, Arthur Barnswell.

NORTH BARR.

Second Division to First Division—C. A. Dowler, teacher—Theodore Andew, Ernest Bishop, Lena Bone, Sydney Brown, Eunice Erskine, May Frank, Isabel Gregg, Arthur Hansen, Charles Hansen, Henry Hunter, Margaret Jones, Thomas Jones, Lillian Malpas, George Maynard, Peter McArthur, Muriel Murray, Edwin Parsons, Robert Porter, Delphia Smith, Madeline Spence, Patricia Strachan, Eva Taylor, Le Brook Vaio, Alfred Daker.

Roll of honor—Proficiency, May Frank; regularity and punctuality, Eva Taylor; Third Division to Second Division—C. L. Brown, teacher—Luzel Anderson, Alfred Andrews, Mildred Barker, Frank Davey, Rosalie Dennis, William Fraser, Grant, Jeannette Jefferies, Florence Kirschberg, Kenneth McCarter, Emma McIlmoyle, Kate Palmer, Robert Patterson, Joseph Rude, Ernest Sewell, Edie Thomson, Joseph Walker, Cleve White, Beatrice Wiley.

Recommendations—Louise Daley, Victor Griffith, Matilda Humber, Cora John, Lydia Haynes, Alexander Stewart.

man. On general standing—Pearl Bickelike, Blossom Marg. Curries, Florence Heyland, Rita Millay, Alice Neal, May Soper, Evelyn Wagg, May Wagg. Eighth Grade to Seventh Grade—J. Russell, teacher—On results of examination—Dorothy Allen, Stella Bayntun, Marguerite Cameron, Ida Chan, Josephine Davis, Edith Gough, Florence Ada Holmes, Maud Florence Harris, Gertrude Jay, Mary Le Page, Florence Louise, Evelyn Lusscombe, Vera Leach, Macfarlane, Marjorie Maynard, Evelyn Agnes Maud, Mary Katharine Neal, Althea Allen Oliver, Isabel S. Stewart. On general standing—Florence Gibson, Lily Nicholls, Pearl Roper, Margaret Ritchie, Harriet Albertina St. John, Marie Wilson. Roll of Honor—Proficiency, Maud Florence Harris; deportment, Ida Chan; regularity and punctuality, Althea Allen Oliver.

BOYS' CENTRAL.

Second Grade to First Grade—J. P. Sallaway, teacher—Robert Brydon, Clifton Burgess, Augustus Cune, Albert Clarke, Victor Creech, Gordon Ford, Daryl Kent, Lawrence McRae, Robert Cunningham, Albert Macdonald, Herbert Matthews, Jack Milligan, Oliver Nason, Stephen Redgrave, Victor Rolfe, Maurice, Royds, Robert Russell, Milton Selig, Percival Sheritt, Frank Waller. The following have been promoted on results of examination—Leanne Rie, Richard Long, Barclay Miller, Dana Miller, Joseph Rausch, Burton Watson. Roll of Honor—Proficiency, Clifton Burgess; deportment, Victor Rolfe; regularity and punctuality, Robert Russell.

Third Grade to Second Grade—Mr. Suter, teacher—Otto Andewach, Henry Angus, Angus Macdonald, Geo. Bowes, Forin Campbell, Frank Carson, Fred Chubb, Michael Conlin, Fred Dean, Herbert P. Hot, Theodore Gaudes, Robt. Hickcock, Don Herbert, Frank L. Miller, Geo. MacDonald, Henry Morley, Simon Phillips, Oscar Routledge, Albert Sargison, Albert Teague, Frank Theriault, Fred Watson, Willie Webster, Clifford Wilson. Roll of Honor—Deportment, Frank Wilson; regularity, William Miller; proficiency, Dr. Herbert.

Fourth Grade to Third Grade—John Spencer Brooker, Walter Clarence Creed, Thomas Muirhead, Donald, Frank Alvin, Leonard, Reginald Macfarlane, Horace Norris, Walker.

Fifth Grade to Fourth Grade—W. T. Clark, teacher—Aimie Coulson, Britton Colson, Donald Cleveland, William Cole, Henry Cooper, Marlow Carter, Frederick Emery, Nelson Gordon, John Stanley Gordon, James Lemmex, Alexander McNeill, Donald Angus McInnes, William Monk, Pierson McKenzie, Ridman Pennoek, George Phillips, Frank Roberts, Edwin Rowbottom, Morley Shier, Herman Shade, Bruce Schuch, Albert Stirling, William Smith, John Smith, Gordon Selman, Ernest Turner, Frederick Walker, Recommended—Norman Croghan, Gordon Edwards, Roy Fiedette, Delmar Haddock, William McKenzie, Alexander Milligan, William Proby, Walter, Victor, and Hon. or Proficiency, Donald Cleveland; punctuality and regularity, William McKenzie; deportment, Frederick Emery.

Fourth Grade to Third Grade—John Stevenson, teacher—John Anderson, George Armstrong, Harold Brown, Walter Clayton, Bertie Clayton, Walter Cartwright, Willie Creech, Stephen Cheesman, John Bee, Ernest Dods, Cecil Drake, Frank Dunn, Leslie Griffin, Sydney Hall, Harold Hoad, Charles Hastings, Harold Hartman, Charles Hastings, Albert Hartman, Alfred Huggitt, Charles Hopper, Albert Jones, Alan John, Henry King, Charles Knox, Henry Kent, Leo Lang, Orin Lovett, Lance McLellan, David Marks, Charles More, Willie McNeill, Bruce McLellan, Lincoln Rodgers, Harold Stirling, Helmut Strouse, Herbert Vye, Willie Wilby, Honor Roll—Henry King, Harold Beckwith, Bertie Clayton.

Seventh Grade to Sixth Grade—Edith Jesse, teacher—Leonard Acton, Elmer Cresswell, Lester Deane, John Depey, Ernest Elford, John Hewing, Wm. E. Gregson, Norman Hocking, Roy Hartman, Prosser Hamilton, Lewis Levy, Percy MacDonald, Aubrey McDonald, Black Macdonald, Clyde Macdonald, Lila Moss, Albert Rausch, John Reid, Harry Stirling, Douglas Whittier, Arthur Woods, Ernest James Waller. Second Prize to First Class in the same room—Alan Clarke, Jack Dawley, Edward Dawley, Emmet Dawson, Percy Howell, Stuart Hargrave, William Hargrave, Lang, Ernest MacMillan, Bertie Martin, Evan Macdonald, Gilbert Miller, Hazel Jno. Roberts, Thomas Renfrew, Alex. Smith, Gussie Stirling, Percy Wales, Wm. Watson, Lu Sup Wa. Roll of Honor—Proficiency, John Depey; deportment, Clyde Macdonald; regularity and punctuality, John Depey.

Eighth Grade to Seventh Grade—Agnes Nason, teacher—Arthur Barnswell, Arthur Church, Arthur Creech, Archie Carson, Malcolm Crawford, Jack Frederick, James Ford, Robert Gibson, Gillin, Stirling Hanna, Maxwell Hickcock, Herbert Higginbottom, Rodrick Lamm, Jack Malcolm, Harry Norris, Tommy Norris, Dennis Pennoek, Wesley Shier, Kenneth Saunders, Cedric Cudby, Freddy Wainwright, Harry Recommended for Senior First Prize—Class—Arthur Ball, Jeffrey Bowers, Ralph Cartwright, Kenneth Dean, Norman Dickinson, Elmer Fincham, Willie Lang, Teddy Lines, Willie Levas, Fred Solis, Tommy Lusscoe, George Smith, Tommy Watson, Malcolm Walker, Hon. or Roll—Proficiency, Wesley Shier; deportment, Stirling Hanna; regularity and punctuality, Arthur Barnswell.

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SOUTH PARK.

Second Grade to First Grade—Class per cent. 73—E. Speers, teacher—Allen Christopher Loat, Eugene Stanislaus Lopatecki, Alfred Edgar Sprague, Harold Eustace Whyte, Kenneth Harold Smith, Ronald John McDonald, Millie Ingramham, Edith May McDonald, Clara Mary Kay Hume, Helen Mayle Emory, Dorothy Leeming, Edith Murray Henderson, Helen Victoria Fraser, Frank Pennington Burns, John Greig, James Pennington Temple, William Ross, Edward Herbert Thomas, Claude Jagers, Charles Banner, Edna Mather, Rickaby, James Henry Gordon, Jessie Rebecca McLean, Edwison William Rogers, Jack Simpson, Edwison Wagg, Frank Fox, Ellen A. Salt, Bethel Georgia Scott, Grace Eleanor Cross, Ethel Butler, Donald Charles McKeay, Claude McKeay, Florence Paulsen, Scott Owen Mulder, Ethel Pearl Davis, Elaine Agatha McKieckling.

Third Grade to Second Grade—Class per cent. 75—W. M. Winsby, teacher—Jean Roberts, George Clifford Irving, Nelson Scott, Williamina Baxter, Marion Constance Kaine, Edgar Crow, Baker, Pawcett and Clemon Arthur Rowcutt (equal), Joe Henry Lawry, Robt. S. B. White, Douglas Donaldson, Mildred May Brown, Walter Clifton Cameron, Nellie Joul, William Martin Cullin, Flora Campbell Black, Jack Finlayson, Jack Hamilton, Charles Nelson, Frank Austin Cullin, Gilbert Lancelot Sparrow, Victor Macdonald Irwin, Alexander Holmes, Marie Donald Blair, Hamilton Douglas, Loreta Banner, Albert Victor Chudley, Robert Tindal Mackay, Chas. Rose, Conchita Schnoter, Winifred Redfern, William James Edmonds, Frederick Blair, Lily Nelson, Anna Matilda Henderson.

Third Grade to Second Grade—Class per cent. 64—D. S. Tait, teacher—Maurice Barham, Richard Rome, Constance Hildige, Alfred Cecil Rome, Ethel Green, Hannah Aaronson, Tillman Alford Briggs, Helen Blake, Barbara Cameron, Brown, Thomas Brook, Wm. Loveridge, George Herbert Pottinger, John Clarke, Cavilla Castleton, Frank Armstrong, Stanley Anderson, Charles Marks, Edward Jamieson, Edith Gertrude Mable Heathcote, Minnie Sellick, Mildred Sweet, Edwin Noble, Janet Peden, Mabel Miller, Ruby Allen, Lizzie Jamieson, Arthur Cusack, Sydney Minckler, Robert Tait. Promoted provisionally—V. Winked, H. Bobby, H. Henderson, G. Cruikshank, J. Emery, A. King, R. Finlayson, L. Winked, M. Winked.

Fourth Grade to Third Grade—Class per cent. 65—Miss Pauline Franks, teacher—Herbert Ball and Ruth Winchester (equal), Jack McDowell, John Barber, Ralph Bamford, Stanley Flett, Douglas, Maudie James, Evelyn Jones, William Marston, William McDowell, Frank Cameron, Mary Kinsey, Harold Bamford, Bert Clarke, Ivan Sparrow, Clarendon Briggs, Joseph Gawley, Hilda Sexsmith, Alexander Scott, Frank Lang, Albert Cullin, Daisy Jones, A. L. Richards (equal), Tom Allen, James Stewart and Kathleen Roberts (equal), Victoria Cross, Katie Jackson, Winifred Fox, Pauline Gillespie, Lette Hebeck, Charles Thomas and Walter Edmonds. Promoted provisionally—Robert Fox, Winifred Fox, Rose Marion Alex. Franklin, Eleanor Kains, Sydney Lancelot Wilson, Robert Wood, Jennie Bishop, Marguerite Rickaby, Alma Minckler.

Fifth Grade to Fourth Grade—Miss S. L. C. Pope, teacher—Annie Lewis and Harper Carl Nixon (equal), Ernest David Sprague, Reginald Nairne, Kenneth Viold Lopatecki, Margaret Ross, Geraldine Starr, Dorothy Olivia McTavish, James Thornton Fullerton, Gwendolyn Stella Smith, Claude Cameron, Joffrey Pottinger, Naomi Wilson, Eleanor Joffrey, Amy Gertrude Marston, James Nesbit Bishop, Agnes Mary Jackson, Stanley Thomas Whitwell, Alfred Turner Flett, Hyacinth Clare Smith, Alfred Edward Caster, Victoria May Lang, Alfred Lang, John Joseph Bartlett, Augustus, John Lillian Russell, John Peden, Olive, Kathleen Vincent, Leslie Harrington Ellis, Joseph Galle, Edna Everett Warren, Jessie E. Mackay, Joyce Woodward, Florence Pierce, Jessie Abercrombie Fullerton, Warren Wilmut Walt, James Fleckhart, Ralph Hume, Bobby, Alice Lavonia Hodge, Emily McKenzie, James Herbert Whitwell, Alice Murrett, Maude Elizabeth Matthews, Jean Mildred Vincent, Julius Bernard Roskamp, Violet Catherine Rudge, Irene Shirley Leigh, Eucel William Lambeth, Georgina Bellingham, Promoted provisionally—Edith Cross, Margaret Nichol, Florence Edmonds, Annie Huetner.

Sixth Grade to Fifth Grade—Class per cent. 60—Miss A. E. Fraser, teacher—Jean Robinson, Kathleen Muriel Hall, Clyde Horan, Arthur Rogers, Elsie Marie Sparrow, Luez Starret, Edna Josephine Clarke, Ida Belle McViney, Ada Martha Brook, Frederick Clifford Douglas, Alice Constance Cusack, Ernest Banner, Lillian Elizabeth Castleton, Alan Leslie Greig, Marguerite Irene Richdale, Hilda Mabel Ireland, Leonora Clapham Ross, Joseph Richard Stewart, William Horace Holman Ellis, Olive May Humphreys, William Henry Matthews, Geo. Edward Martin, Laurena Alberta Sparks, Daisy Nora Ware, Thomas Roberts, Legretta Jane Green, Marion Jane Humphreys, George Nelson, H. Huetner, provisionally: Henry Nichols, Charles Hoskin Thomas, Ernest George Casey, Agnes Elsie Joutle, Echo Sarah Bahr, Edridge Brown, Dorothy Annie Fox, Alvina Offerman, Hazel Bahr, Graham Bushby, Albert Cohen, Frank Edwards, Davis Hicks, Thomas Hout, Ware, Fred Barrington Elworthy, Hans Jepson, Jane McKenzie, Grace Eden.

Seventh Grade to Sixth Grade—Class per cent. 80—Miss M. C. Maclean, teacher—Katie Glen Mackintosh, Mabel Florence Bow and Edna Davis (equal), Jean Constance Thompson, James Canon, Elsie Richards, Flora Noble, Duncan Shirley Ellis and Lillian Madeline Pierce (equal), Daniel Forrest Bartlett, Nellie Hume Givens, Louis Nixon, John Parker, Ethel Sara Elizabeth Mackintosh, Chingrangs, Albert Griffiths Loveridge, Wilfrid Woodward, Arthur Wilfrid Flett, William James Berryman and Gertrude Martin (equal), Peter Hansen and Gladys Mabel Langton (equal), Elizabeth Young Givens, Edith Berryman, Claude Frey, Annie Roy, George Chandra Stevenson, Beatrice Cook, Herbert Flett, Robt. Bensen, Wm. Heathcote, Mauriel Edith Welch, Chas. James, Dorothy Martyn, Robert Barrington Elworthy, Hilda Helen Simpson, Ella May Cullin, Theresa Mesher.

Roll of Honor—Deportment, Lydia Haynes; regularity and punctuality, Eric Thompson; proficiency, Jessie Walker. Div. First Division (fourth class to Third Div. class)—J. M. Campbell, teacher—Wm. Atkinson, Robert Cavin, Archibald Carmichael, Isabella St. Clair Davidson, Jennie Freeman, Grace St. Clair Lusscombe, Nellie Mildred Loney, Eliza Murray, Charles Hugh McIntosh, Fraser McPhee, John Duncan McGregor, Jessie May McDonald, Robert Robertson, Pearl Robertson, Pearl Robertson, Percy W. C. Smith, John Young.

Roll of Honor—Deportment, James Baker; regularity and punctuality, Ethel McKee; proficiency, Fraser McPhee. From Second to Third Reader—Sprague, teacher—Wm. Atkinson, Robert Cavin, Louis Beckwith, Emily Bailey, Suzanne Blackwood, Viva Blackwood, Mabel Chanced, Pearl Chanced, Lucy Cousins, Maggie Carlo, Ellice Cavin, Charles Coughlan, Frank Cox, Fred, Dinsdale, Margaret, James, William Gibson, Evelyn, Clifford Jones, Ryaland Jones, Margaret McKenzie, George McMorran, Isabel McDonald, Minnie Mittastate, Anne Mercer, Arthur Penketh, Gertrude Parr, May Teach, Alfred Rule, Mabel Sellick, Lucy Cousins. Recommended—William Collier, Rupert Hall, James Maan, Frank Smith.

Roll of Honor—General proficiency, Louis Mahew Beckwith; regularity and punctuality, Edward Sears; deportment, Lucy Cousins. From Second to Third Reader—S. J. Merton, teacher—Archie Babinston, Reginald Beckwith, Lenore Black, Ethel Blake, May Croft, Stanley Deville, Percy Gill, Ella Gill, Gladys Higgins, John Jones, Cora Legg, Lim Yat, Morye Noye, Chris Moody, Laurence McCarter, Rao McNeill, Roy McPhee, Millie McGregor, Eleanor McCandless, Eva Marymont, Basil Menzies, John Newson, Roy Patterson, William Patterson, William Patterson, Aggie Strickland, Culbert Stapleton, Willie Smith, Everett Taylor, Thomas Thompson, Bertie Ward.

Roll of Honor—Deportment, Arch. Babinston; regularity and punctuality, Thomas Thompson; proficiency, Stanley Deville. From Second to Third Reader—E. L. LePage, teacher—Percy Atld, George Baynes, Nellie Baker, William Beynon, Ernest Clark, Nellie Cook, Henry Cousins, Olive Firth, Annie Gill, Andre Hansen, Norman Emory Hall, Edgar Kelly, Mary McDevine, Mabel Mackay, Gertrude Mittastadi, Margaret Neill, William Patterson, Charles Phipps, Daisy Potts, Emma Price, Annie Price, Hazel Petherick, Ellen Scott, Allan Simpson, Thomas Sarge, Edith Stevens, Ida Stevens, Thomas Solle, Kathleen Thomas, Ernest Vaino, Herbert Willis, Mabel Wilkinson.

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THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office,
Victoria June 29.—8 p.m.
SYNOPSIS.

The weather still remains unsettled; the high area continues on the Washington Coast, while a trough of low pressure of considerable intensity covers Cariboo, Alberta and Assiniboia. The weather on the American coast has been cloudy, and rainfall has been heavy; while light showers have fallen in this vicinity. Seasonable temperatures have prevailed at most stations, except east of the Rockies in the centre of the low area where the temperature was much higher.

TEMPERATURES.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	53	58
New Westminster	52	64
Kamloops	48	64
Calgary	44	60
Portland, Ore.	40	68
San Francisco, Cal.	54	62

FORECASTS.

For twenty-four hours from 5 a.m. (Pacific time) Saturday:
Victoria and vicinity: Moderate to fresh southerly and westerly winds, chiefly cloudy and unsettled, with occasional showers.
Lower Mainland: Light winds, mostly cloudy, and comparatively cool, with occasional showers.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Observations taken daily at 5 a.m., noon, and 5 p.m.

	5 a.m.	Mean.	5 p.m.
Temperature	53	58	58
Wetness	58	58	58
Wetness	58	58	58

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a.m.	5 miles southwest.
Noon.	4 miles south.
5 p.m.	8 miles southwest.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Rain—0.2 inch.
Sunshine—2 hours 12 minutes.
Barometer at noon—Observed.....29.902
Corrected.....29.902

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p.m.—Corrected.....29.92

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G. Moody	J. A. Poole
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July, Grant for year 1st July 1899,

to 1st July, 1900	\$500.00
Aug. July per capita subsidy	687.00
Sept. August per capita subsidy	710.00
Oct. September per capita subsidy	710.00
Nov. October per capita subsidy	711.50
Dec. November per capita subsidy	622.50
1900.	
Jan. December per capita subsidy	622.50
Feb. January per capita subsidy	700.00
Mar. February per capita subsidy	639.00
Apr. March per capita subsidy	639.50
May. April per capita subsidy	604.00
Total	\$7,493.50

The average monthly grant was... 41.66
The average monthly subsidy was... 610.35
The total monthly provincial aid... 701.01
Or annually... \$8,412.12

Under previous rates the government annual grants were \$10,000, so that the hospital receives by the change \$1,587.88 less. Internal Economy.—Some important changes have recently been made in the working of the hospital, and the work of the directors largely depends upon standardizing conditions. This change took effect about eight months since, and has worked very satisfactorily.

Changes in the Directors.—The directors have recently been deprived of the good counsel of their esteemed colleagues, Messrs. A. C. Flumerfelt and J. Stuart Yates who have been on the board since the hospital was organized. Mr. Flumerfelt tendered his resignation in consequence of his contemplated absence from Victoria. The directors, however, were much gratified with their assurance that the welfare of the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital will continue to receive their continued interest. Mr. F. B. Pemberton was appointed to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Yates' resignation.

Visitors.—The directors were honored by the visit of Rear Admiral Lewis A. Beaumont, accompanied by his staff in October last. After a critical inspection, the admiral signing the visitors' book recorded, "It has been a great pleasure to me to visit this hospital." In April last the admiral and his staff visited the hospital without notice to the officials, and placed on record in their presentment, their satisfaction with everything as found by them. A copy of their report is appended hereto.

Training School.—The hospital training school for nurses, under the charge of Miss Grady, has continued satisfactory. Very thorough training in medical and surgical cases can be had, but the directors very much regret that the training does not include maternity cases.

Visiting Medical and Surgical Staff.—The directors take this opportunity to thank the visiting medical and surgical staff for their untiring good services have done so much to promote the welfare of the patients and popularity of the hospital. Recognition and Thanks.—The directors tender the grateful thanks to the various donors of money, who are shown in the treasurer's report. They also wish to mention the donation of an invalid chair and a sewing machine by Mrs. Digby Barker, whose death the directors learned with deep regret. The sum of \$41, donated by the late Mrs. E. Miles towards the erection of a children's ward. This sum has been placed to a special account, and consequently does not appear in the regular hospital statements. The Arlon club was mindful of the hospital patients and staff, and on Christmas day rendered one of their ever deservedly popular and excellent concerts. The directors missed the organized and conductor up to the last season, the late Mr. Wm. Greig.

The directors are much indebted, and thank the British Columbia Board of Trade for free office room for the holding of their meetings.

The directors beg to sincerely thank the very numerous donors of fruit, books, poultry, and in fact, gifts of every description, which have been duly acknowledged in the public press by the matron, and formal intimation of vote of thanks by post in each case.

The thanks of the board are extended to the Colonist and Times newspapers for their kind notices.

Additional Information.—Attention is directed to the detailed information which will be found in the reports of the hon. treasurer, auditor, medical officer, and matron, which are appended hereto.

By order of the board of directors,
H. DALLAS HELMCKEN,
President.

F. ELWORTHY,
Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Gentlemen.—In submitting the annexed annual statement of receipts and disbursements, it is necessary to state that the sum of \$1,082.93 shown as due to the hospital of British Columbia at the last annual statement, has been reduced to \$872.28, and covers all known liabilities of the hospital for the day of May, 1900.

The expenditure of \$29,379.03, as against \$28,556.34 in the previous year, shows a decrease, due to the house furnishings, repairs and improvements.

The utmost economy has been exercised throughout the year; and a great deal of work could have been advantageously performed had funds been available.

There has been deposited in the Bank of Montreal in the joint names of the hon. treasurer and Mrs. Hassel, for the Children's ward... \$1,008.55
Doctor's residence... 1,010.00
Maternity ward... 6.93

There has also been deposited in the Bank of British Columbia the sum of one hundred dollars, with interest accruing, amounting to \$102.50.

THOMAS SHOTBOLT,
Treasurer.

RECEIPTS.
To cash balance... \$ 175.75
To grants and donations... 11,552.85
To patient fees... 14,676.45
To all other sources... 199.23
To bank of B. C. ... 872.28
\$27,476.59

DISBURSEMENTS.
By expenses... \$26,376.03
By payment recoverable... 14.63
By bank... 1,082.93
\$27,476.59

I have examined the accounts of the hospital for the year ending May 31, 1900, checked all cash receipts from original book, entry, also vouchers for disbursements, all of which I have found to be duly au-

thorized by the board of directors, and I hereby certify the above statements to be correct.
A. G. MCGREGOR,
Auditor.

DOCTOR'S REPORT.

Gentlemen.—I have the honor to submit my report for the year ending May 31, 1900.
The cost of maintenance is less this year than last, the figures being: For 1899-00, \$28,556.34; for 1900-01, \$29,379.03.
The daily average cost this year is \$1.72 last year it was \$1.80.
The daily average number of patients has slightly increased, in 1899-00 being 41.63, and in 1900-01, 41.9.
The number of patients admitted were:

Free Paying.	218	458
1899-1900	216	431

The total number of patients treated during the year was: In patients, 689; out patients, 191.

The total days stay of patients was 15,327 as against 15,705 during last year.
Since the reduction of the annual government grant a more rigid economy than ever has had to be practiced. There has, in consequence, been a corresponding decrease in some items of expenditure, although others indicate an increase, as the accompanying figures will show:

There has been a decrease in the following items of expenditure:

'98-'99	'99-'00	Dec.
Drugs, dressings, surgical instruments	3173.40	2409.04
Ice and soda water	203.97	192.79
Wines and spirits	255.75	189.39
House furnishings	1408.78	950.72
Salaries	7771.55	7094.53
Repairs and	2867.19	1386.01
Improvements	1419.88	1220.53
Fuel	1419.88	1220.53

There has been an increase in the following items of expenditure:

'98-'99	'99-'00	Inc.
Food	8065.46	9335.37
Light	811.69	831.42
Water	111.11	132.90
Insurance	24.40	733.63
Printing and Stationery	383.80	410.55

Only urgently needed repairs have been effected, which included painting the floors of the corridors, the outside steps and the apparatus.

I regret that owing to the want of funds none of the special needs to which I drew the attention of the board in my report of last year have been able to be fulfilled. I venture to again bring them to the notice of the board with the hope that during the coming year funds will be available, at all events to commence work on them.

The special needs are: Increased accommodation for nurses, a properly equipped sterilizing room, a diet kitchen and children's ward.

Under the direction of the grounds committee, and thanks to many generous friends, the grounds and corridors have been much improved in appearance. The kitchen garden is becoming fruitful and promises a large crop of vegetables.

Steps will need to be taken before winter to prevent the flooding of the grounds at the hospital gates, by storm water from Richmond road, and the Fernwood estate.

It is a great pleasure to report the increasing interest taken by the women of Victoria in the working of the hospital. Visits have been made monthly by members of the Women's Auxiliary; a great debt of gratitude is due to this society, which has by its generous donations relieved the board of many expenses and furnished many necessary comforts.

The Daughters of City, the Junior branch of the Victoria Association, have contributed many offerings, which have materially ministered to the comforts of the patients, both in the public and the private wards.

The King's Daughters have continued their grateful ministrations as in former years.

Rear Admiral Beaumont, on his appointment as commander in chief of the Pacific station, was pleased to make an official inspection of the hospital, and expressed his approval of the condition in which he found it.

The clergy of all denominations have continued their services on Sundays, and their individual ministrations during the week, when requisite.

The employees and staff have worked well during the year; the health of the staff has been, on the whole, good, though a few have been laid up by illness. I think the fact that I continued to have nurses break down through overwork. I have three who are unfit for work at the present time, owing to this cause.

I would earnestly recommend the board to appoint a graduate nurse in charge of each pavilion.

I beg to enclose detailed lists of statistics for the year.

EDWARD HASSEL, M.R.C.S.,
Resident Medical Officer.

MATRON'S REPORT.

Gentlemen.—I beg leave to submit for your consideration the following report of the nurses' training school for the past year.

Our staff at present consists of Miss Gordon, head nurse, and fourteen nurses in training, comprised of five senior and seven junior, also two probationers.

Two junior nurses resigned during the year, one having to leave on account of ill health which rendered her unfit for re-admission; the other on account of marriage.

I would recommend in this connection that it would be more satisfactory both to the authorities and to the student that nurses passing their probation should be bound to complete their training, otherwise the time and patience expended by both pupil and teacher is of no practical avail, and also deprives the hospital of the second and most useful year of the pupil's service.

Owing to the almost daily use of the operating room and the performance of an average of two operations daily (except Sundays) the extra pressure of work upon the nursing staff continues to be very heavy, often adding a great deal of special nursing to the usual routine.

At the present time I have three of our older nurses incapacitated from overwork. I would therefore again press upon your notice the necessity of increasing our nursing staff; otherwise it seems almost impossible to satisfy the necessary demands of our doctors or their patients.

We had seven graduates for the year, namely: Miss Cassie Fraser, Miss Louise Budden, Miss Sarah McDonald, Miss Margaret Aplin, Miss Hilda Manley, Mrs. O. H. Morley, Mrs. Amy Twainson.

We have to thank Mrs. Mary McNeill, E. C. Hart, F. W. Hall and E. Hassel for letters given to the class in training.

Many friends have kindly supplied us with flowers, magazines and many other useful and necessary things. The Women's Auxiliary have also been untiring in their efforts on behalf of the hospital, and we are deeply grateful for the many comforts and necessities they have supplied us with.

A donation of ten dollars has been received, to be used in purchasing books, to form the nucleus of a library for the nurses.

J. M. GRADY,
Superintendent of Nurses.

On motion of the Mayor, seconded by Mrs. Hargrave, a vote of thanks was tendered the directors and officers. President Helmcken replying at some length, quoting the following extract from a letter written by Dr. Munro, of Vancouver,

to the Province, of that city, showing what is thought of the Jubilee hospital: "The benefits that Vancouver would derive from the erection of a modern hospital in its midst are many. It would help to make this city more favorably known throughout the province just as the Royal Jubilee Hospital, of Victoria, has helped to make the latter city the centre for medical and surgical work in British Columbia. It would attract people requiring medical treatment to Vancouver. It would be of the greatest benefit to the people of this city, as they could then avail themselves if sick or injured of the latest and most valuable appliances and treatment that a modern hospital affords. It would materially benefit the medical men of the city, as people coming from a distance for medical treatment are considerably influenced, as to where they shall go, by the nature of the hospital accommodation. Victoria, on account of her excellent hospitals, has much larger provincial cases than Vancouver. Nearly everyone who has lived a year or two in the province has heard of the Jubilee hospital in Victoria, but very few outside of residents of Vancouver know of the existence of the city hospital."

The subscribers re-elected Messrs. Helmcken, Davies, Wilson and Pemberton as their representatives on the board. This is the tenth year of the hospital's existence, and during that time \$293,245.00 has been expended, exclusive of the original cost of the buildings. During the same time 4,550 patients were treated, the total days' stay being 144,450.

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